

## Traffic Death Toll 100 Under Yuletide Total

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The nation's traffic death toll over the New Year's weekend holiday was running behind the Christmas total by at least 100.

There were 136 persons killed in highway accidents since the survey started at 6 p.m. Thursday (local time). In the corresponding period for the Christmas holiday the toll was 237.

### Fires Claim 24

The violent deaths since New Year's Eve were 180. They included 24 persons who perished in fires and 20 others who lost their lives in miscellaneous accidents. The 180 compared to 285 in the same period during the Christmas holiday. The final Christmas traffic death total was 523.

The Christmas total is included among the National Safety Council's estimated 38,000 persons killed in traffic accidents in 1953, the same as in 1952. It was the first year since 1949 that the toll did not increase. The council said 1953 had the lowest mileage death rate in the history of traffic accident records. It was estimated at 6.9—the number of deaths per 100 million miles.

### Warnings Help

The council had estimated 360 persons would be killed in motor mishaps during the New Year's weekend ending midnight Sunday. However, Ned H. Dearborn, council president, said if the present rate was maintained for the rest of the holiday period the toll would be under 300, the lowest New Year's traffic death toll since 1949.

"Apparently the shock of the heavy Christmas holiday traffic toll plus the incessant emphasis placed on safety by press, TV and radio has sobered the New Year holiday drivers into better traffic behavior," Dearborn said.

There were 407 traffic deaths for a four-day New Year weekend last year while the record for four days was 611 in 1951-52. A non-holiday death test survey, from 6 p.m. Dec. 3 to midnight Dec. 6, showed that 310 died in traffic accidents, 33 in fires and 89 in miscellaneous accidents.

## Straits Ferry Goes On Winter Schedule Beginning Monday

LANSING (AP)—The state ferry that the Straits of Mackinac will go on winter schedule Monday, the State Highway Department reported.

The ice-breaker Vacationland will leave Mackinac City daily at 7 a. m. and every two hours thereafter through 11 p. m. The ship will make the south-bound crossing from St. Ignace at 6 a. m. daily and every two hours thereafter through 11 p. m. The ship will make two hours thereafter through 10 p. m. The schedule is Eastern Standard time.

Two boats will operate on one and a half hour schedules from both sides of the Straits starting at 6 a. m. through Jan. 3.

## Eight In Family Get Tonsils Removed In Two-Hour Operation

WICHITA, Kan. (AP)—St. Francis Hospital had space for eight more patients today when the Bill Dukes family moved out.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Dukes took eight of their 10 children to the hospital to have their tonsils removed.

For nearly two hours the path to and from the operating room "resembled an assembly line," nurses said.

## Weather

Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau

UPPER MICHIGAN: Mostly cloudy and colder with snow flurries tonight. Sunday, cloudy and cold with snow likely again.

ESCANABA AND VICINITY: Mostly cloudy and colder with snow flurries tonight; low about 10°. Sunday cloudy with snow likely again by afternoon; high Sunday near 28°. Northerly winds 15-25 mph this evening, diminishing tonight and becoming east to northeast 8-15 mph early Sunday.

ESCANABA 32° 21°  
(High yesterday and low today)

Low temperatures in past 24 hours  
Chicago ..... 36 Omaha ..... 31  
Cincinnati ..... 34 St. Louis ..... 40  
Cleveland ..... 29 Atlanta ..... 28  
Detroit ..... 32 Boston ..... 22  
Grand Rapids ..... 31 Miami ..... 68  
Marquette ..... 19 New York ..... 32  
Memphis ..... 42 Fort Worth ..... 44  
Milwaukee ..... 32 Denver ..... 35  
S. S. Marie ..... 20 Helena ..... 28  
Traverse City ..... 20 Phoenix ..... 30  
Des Moines ..... 32 Phoenix ..... 30  
Kansas City ..... 40 Los Angeles ..... 50  
Mpls.-St. Paul ..... 20 San Francisco ..... 40  
Oklahoma City ..... 39 Seattle ..... 40



**BIRTHDAY PREVIEW** — Dr. Francis E. Townsend, who will be 87 on Jan. 13, 1954, will be honored by birthday parties at hundreds of Townsend Plan clubs throughout the nation. The elderly physician, who founded the Townsend Plan for pensioning people over 60 at a rate in excess of present Social Security payments, is seen here slicing a birthday cake at Cleveland, Ohio, where the Townsend Plan, now in its twenty-second year, has national headquarters. Dr. Townsend is being assisted by well-wishers, Wayne Bosau, 8 (right), and Robert Bosau, 6.

## Young Rowdies Stage Raids In Poland; Gang Rounded Up By Reds

By RICHARD O'REGAN

VIENNA, Austria (AP)—Hundreds of teen-agers have been arrested in Poland in recent weeks in a drive to put down acts of hooliganism by roving gangs of young rowdies threatening Communist order.

Polish newspapers reaching here report almost daily raids by police in cities like Warsaw, Krakow and Lublin and in smaller towns. Young rowdies are rounded up and sent to labor camps.

### Vodka Comes First

Western diplomats in Vienna see the rowdiness as an expression of restlessness of Polish youth with Communist restrictions and only indirectly as a form of anticommunism.

The newspapers say that Communist youth organizations have been infected by rowdiness. On a recent excursion "the first cultural and educational demand of the (Communist) youth leaders was an energetic demand for vodka," one newspaper comments.

Newspapers make these complaints: Gangs of young thugs attack "respectable people" on the streets of Warsaw and other cities in broad daylight. They enter state

run stores and beat up the managers and assistants, apparently just for the fun of it.

### Teachers Beaten Up

They assault police, turn Communist-organized dances into brawls and have such defiance of the Red regime that they break up Communist meetings.

The hooliganism, says the Warsaw newspaper Zycie Warszawy, has even reached the point that high school kids beat up their teachers. It adds:

"The range of hooliganism 'consists of public rows, foul language, window breaking, destruction of public property, like the spoiling of park benches, attack and fights which often end with bodily injuries and even death of the person attacked.'"

## Chicago Dope Addict Admits Beating 4 To Death In December

CHICAGO (AP)—A 19-year-old drug addict picked up for questioning about unsolved South Side killings admitted today, police said, he beat to death four men in December.

Detective John Fitzgerald identified the man as Willie Townsend. His first victim was beaten to death Dec. 2. Two others were killed Dec. 19 and the fourth on Dec. 20.

Fitzgerald said Townsend, a Negro, related in a written statement he assaulted his four Negro victims with a brick which he carried in a paper bag. The victims were found dead in an area between 36th and 47th Streets on Michigan and Indiana Avenues. Townsend lives in the general vicinity.

When seized, Townsend was armed with a pistol and carried a paper bag containing a brick. Police disclosed that the first man Townsend said he assaulted with a paper-covered brick was Thomas Johnson, about 35, found dead in a street on Dec. 2.

The other victims, Fitzgerald said, were Willie Thompson, about 35, found dead on a sidewalk Dec. 19; Johnny Stinson, about 50, found with the back of his head crushed in a vacant lot on Dec. 20, and Jack Boone Sr., found dead Dec. 19 in a passageway near his home.

Townsend is held without charge for further questioning. Also held was Robert Corley, 23, but police said they do not believe he was connected with the slayings or robberies.

O'Connor said the program would cost 75 million dollars but that the development of the serum brought the fight against polio to "the verge of victory."

The serum is to be tested on between 500,000 and one million second grade school children.

### Tank Punctured

MUSKEGON (AP)—City officials lowered the level of a Muskegon water storage tank Friday after a bullet pierced the tank in the middle.

Authorities believed the bullet may have been fired during a New Year's celebration. The water level will be restored after tank repairs are completed.

# Red POWs Intimidate Prisoners With Daggers

## Gillette Of Iowa To Ask Curb On Sen. McCarthy

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Gillette (D-Iowa) said today he will ask the Senate to curb broad investigative powers in the field of international relations now held by the committee headed by Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.).

"This is a glaring situation," Gillette said in an interview. "It is something that was never intended and I will ask the Senate to pass on it at the coming session." McCarthy is chairman of the Government Operations Committee and of its more widely known Permanent Investigations subcommittee.

### Relations Delicate

Gillette said he wants the Senate to rescind authority for the Government Operations Committee to investigate international affairs and give this solely to the Foreign Relations Committee, of which Gillette is a member.

Although he has tangled with McCarthy in the past, Gillette made no mention of the Wisconsin senator in explaining why he sought the change.

"International relationships are delicate now and will be for an unforeseen time," Gillette said.

"The Senate has given its Foreign Relations Committee authority in this field."

"We all know that careless actions or statements in this field can jeopardize our international status."

### Nothing Personal

Gillette's proposal followed by a day a remark by another Democrat, Sen. McCarran of Nevada, that the investigations subcommittee in its investigations of communism "has stepped over into a field where it was not intended to function at all."

However, McCarran in an interview said nothing about attempting to curb McCarthy's activities. He said on the contrary he thought the investigations subcommittee has "done good work," and emphasized there was nothing personal in his remarks. He and McCarthy often have exchanged compliments.

## U.S. Officials Fear Russians Will Stall Off Big 4 Meeting

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON (AP)—U.S. officials expressed hope today that the Berlin foreign ministers meeting actually will open Jan. 25, but they said the Russians still can stall the conference if they wish.

Strong suspicions about Russia's tactics persist because one of Moscow's main purposes in the project is believed to be to delay French action on the proposed European Defense Community and so to delay Western plans for controlled rearmament of West Germany.

### Keep Hope Alive

Russia can forward this aim by

keeping alive hope of successful East-West negotiations, either by promising conferences or actually holding them. The brighter the prospects of international peace by negotiation, the less pressure, presumably, Frenchmen would feel to accept EDC and thereby abandon their deep rooted opposition to any revival of German military strength.

Notes which the Western Powers handed the Soviet Foreign Office Friday accepted Jan. 25 as the opening date for the Berlin meeting agreed also to a Russian proposal that the place of the meeting be determined by Big Four officials in Germany and said that there is no point now in any further talk about an agenda for the conference since the ministers themselves will be meeting soon.

### Possibilities For Delay

Several possibilities of further delay are conceded:

1. The French government is to be reorganized in mid-January after the new president takes office.

2. A site must be selected for the conference. The Western Powers proposed the Allied Control Authority Building, which the Russians do not like. There is some speculation that the Soviets may alternatively propose a former broadcasting headquarters which they control in West Berlin. That

almost certainly would meet with ready Western acceptance.

But there also has been speculation that the Reds would propose alternating the sessions between East and West Berlin or among the four occupation sectors of the city. Despite difficulties such as the problem of uninhibited news reporting by Western correspondents, authorities here say such arrangements could be worked out.

### German Future Is Topic

If the Russians should unexpectedly insist that the meetings be held in East Berlin, the Western Powers, according to Washington officials, would reject the proposal flatly.

3. Another possible cause of delay is the matter of subjects to be discussed.

In previous note exchanges both the Western Powers and the Soviet government have in effect agreed that the future of Germany is a major topic of importance. Russia has served notice it will bring up its demand for recognition of Red China as a fifth big world power and the Western governments have said that Russia can talk about anything it wants to.

The West has repeatedly called for completion of an Austrian independence treaty and Russia has refused to agree to talk about this at Berlin.

## Officers Suspended For Blind Pig Raid Without Warrants

DETROIT (AP)—Four Detroit policemen were suspended today after raids on two suspected blind pigs brought protests that the police had forced entry without search warrants.

Kennedy Lawrence, deputy superintendent, quickly suspended Sgt. Thomas Watson, and patrolmen Robert Trozak, James Shannon, Ervil Goolsby, all of the Bethune Station, for their part in the raids.

### Bar Broken Up

Lawrence said that two scout car patrolmen would be questioned concerning charges by one of the residents that they had accepted five dollars and a bottle of whisky Christmas Eve. He did not reveal their names.

Both of the raids early New Year's Day were carried out by the same four-man raiding party. A police inspector earlier said he thought the team had done the right thing.

The cleanup squad's four-man team first raided a private dwelling in mid-town Detroit at 3:45 a. m. Police said they acted on complaints of a "blind pig being operated on the premises."

Officers said they broke up a bar in the rear of the building, where they found several partly filled bottles of whisky. The squad next moved on an apartment just 15 minutes away from the first.

No Evidence Found

They wrecked a bootleg stand on the ground floor but found no evidence of gambling or illicit liquor, then forced their way into upstairs living quarters.

Inspector George Pell said he was sorry if the legitimate residents of the apartment were caused any "inconvenience," but said he was satisfied the officers did the right thing.

"Sometimes it becomes necessary to take drastic action to safeguard the decent people living in the neighborhood," Pell said.

The inspector admitted that the raids were carried out without warrants.

WOMAN ANGERED;  
LOCKS POSTOFFICE

ALICE, Tex. (AP)—You couldn't buy a stamp in this city's post office today because an angry woman postmaster had locked 'em up and walked out.

Charging "politics" because she is to be replaced, Mrs. Marguerite Mullen Friday put all cash on hand and stamps into her post office vault, clanged the door shut, turned the office over to a clerk and left.

She said that until an acting postmaster is named or a postal inspector arrives the post office will handle only incoming and outgoing mail.

Apparently the next move is up to postal authorities. They have been unavailable for comment.

Mrs. Mullen, a Democrat, has been postmaster here since August 1953. Last month Asst. Postmaster General N. R. Abrams notified her she would be replaced.

Mrs. Mullen charged she was being "fired for political reasons."

Thursday, she announced she would turn the post office over to a clerk if a qualified successor had not been appointed by 1 p.m. Friday.

She said she is not resigning from her \$6,070 a year job, just transferring the office. She plans an appeal to the Civil Service Commission.

### Pack For A Pint

AUBURN, N.Y. (AP)—About 225 Auburn State Prison convicts got extra cigarettes for New Year's by contributing to the local blood bank.

The Red Cross swapped them a pack a pint.

## Texas Corporal Tells Of Threats Behind Stockade

By JOHN RANDOLPH

SEOUL (AP)—A young Texas corporal—one of 23 American war prisoners who originally stayed with the Communists—said today "there might be others who would come out" if given protection from dagger-wielding fellow POWs.

Cpl. Claude J. Batchelor, who changed his mind and asked Friday to go home, called for an investigation of conditions inside the pro-Communist neutral compound and said Indian guards should search it for hidden weapons.

### Story Told Calmly

Batchelor, of Kermit, Tex., is the second of the 23 Americans to ask repatriation.

His story of life in the wire-enclosed compound near Panmunjom, told during a 40-minute press conference here, conflicted at many points with reports of the Indian command on conditions in the stockade now holding 21 Americans, 1 Briton and 327 South Koreans.

The 22-year-old corporal calmly faced a battery of newsmen, cameras and microphones as he made these points:

1. Both South Korean and American pro-Red prisoners in the camp are armed with daggers to intimidate any prisoner who wishes to escape. "It would be difficult at times for the Americans to get out."

2. Chinese Communist leaders have "some contact" with prisoners in the neutral zone compound, despite Indian reports to the contrary.

### Fellows Mixed Up

3. "A lot of fellows there are quite mixed up and there might be others who would come out" if they had a chance.

4. All outgoing letters from the camp are written jointly and read to the other prisoners.

5. The prisoners are split into factions and the leaders of various groups sometimes fail to pass on information given them by Indian officials.

Indian spokesmen have said repeatedly there are no weapons in the compound and that it would be a simple matter for any prisoner wishing repatriation to contact a guard.

Batchelor's calm and poise contrasted with the extreme nervousness of Cpl. Edward S. Dickinson of Big Stone Gap, Va., who was repatriated from the north camp Oct. 22.

### Wife Overjoyed

Batchelor repeated his statement Friday that tender love letters from his Japanese wife, Kyoko, played a major role in his decision to return home. He said a growing suspicion of Communist motives finally persuaded him about a month ago to return.

Sunday morning the young corporal will fly to Tokyo for a final medical checkup and a meeting with his wife.

The tiny Japanese woman wrote her husband Saturday that his decision to return home "was like

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## Collision Floods Hold Of Ore Ship

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The ore ship Permanente Silverbow limped toward San Francisco under Coast Guard escort today after two of her holds were flooded in a slashing collision with a freighter off the northern California coast.

The 7,629-ton ore carrier, south-bound from Portland, Ore., with 40-45 crewmen, collided late Friday night with the Manila-bound 7,606-ton freighter Colorado, about 145 miles north of San Francisco.

The Colorado's forepeak was flooded but she reported no danger.

The Silverbow radioed the flooding appeared halted. A passing Standard Oil tanker, the J. N. MacGaregill, the Colorado and tow Coast Guard cutters, were accompanying the Silverbow to San Francisco.

Henry J. Kaiser's Permanente Steamship Co. of Oakland operates the ore ship and the Colorado is owned by the States Steamship Co. of New York.

## TODAY'S CHUCKLE

Middle age has arrived when you can look back and realize your mistakes and wish you could make them again.

## Crash Burns Fatal

DETROIT (AP)—Mrs. Eula M. Sliger, 33, died Friday of burns suffered Thursday. She was trapped in a blazing automobile that overturned after colliding with a taxicab.



## Cost-Price Squeeze Topic For Farmers

How farmers can ease the cost-price squeeze will be the main topic of discussion at a "Barnyard Economics" meeting in Cornell Town Hall Friday night, Jan. 15, at 8, according to a news bulletin released by Joseph L. Heirman, county agricultural agent.

"Rick" Hartwig, farm economist, and William Cargo, crops specialist, both of Michigan State College's district extension office in Marquette, will help lead discussion at the meeting, which the extension service is sponsoring. Everyone in the county who is interested is urged to attend and participate.

The news release points out that during the past year prices received by farmers for things they sell have dropped about 16 per cent, while prices they have to pay for things they buy have dropped only four per cent. The result has been to put farmers in a real pinch, with profits making a beating on many farms, the bulletin says.

A large part of the Jan. 15 meeting will be devoted to a discussion of things farmers can do to help ease the squeeze. Several easy-to-understand balances will be presented which farmers can use to check up on their own farming setups. Farmers operating well-balanced businesses are getting hurt a lot less by the cost-price squeeze than those whose businesses are out of balance, the news release comments.

In connection with the discussion of the profit squeeze, the farm outlook picture for 1954 will be presented. There will be a discussion of the latest changes in federal income tax as they affect farmers, along with a list of legitimate "tax savers." How the new Michigan business receipts tax affects farmers will also be presented.

Farm wives, who, the news release notes, play such an important part in the farm business, are urged to accompany their husbands to the meeting. The affair will consist of several short, snappy presentations, followed by plenty of time for group discussion. The entire meeting will last not more than two hours.

## George Riley, Former Resident, Dies At 55

George Riley, former Escanaba resident, died Thursday morning in Chicago at the age of 55.

The son of Frank Riley, who lived in Escanaba until 1918, leaves his wife and mother, Mrs. Rose Riley, and six sisters and two brothers, all of Chicago.

## Schools To Reopen Here On Monday

City public and parochial schools will resume their classes Monday, Jan. 4, after having been closed for the holidays.

Public schools closed Dec. 18 while the parochial school students began their Christmas vacations Dec. 23.

## St. Patrick's Guild To Meet Monday

St. Patrick's Guild members will hold its January meeting at the parish hall Monday, Jan. 4, at 8 p. m. A book review on "Stage of Fools" by Charles Brady will be given by Mrs. Mary Murphy. Refreshments will be served by St. Bridget's Circle.

## Stolen Jacket Turns Up In Street Parade

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Rookie policeman Joseph Kelly thought there was something familiar about the jacket worn by a passing marcher in Friday's Mummers parade.

A second glance convinced him it was the same jacket stolen from Kelly while he was playing basketball several nights earlier. The rental of the jacket, which identified himself as James Richards, also produced on demand Kelly's trousers and shirt.

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**NEW YEAR'S DAY BABIES** who arrived at St. Francis Hospital the first day of 1954 are a daughter, Barbara Ann, born to Mr. and Mrs. Emery J. Sexton of Cornell right and a baby

girl, Lynn Kay, born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Brodersen of 223 N. 9th St., Escanaba. Barbara Ann was born at 12:20 a. m. and Lynn Kay arrived at 12:30 p. m. (Daily Press Photo)

## Fish Producers To Meet Here

The annual convention of the Michigan Fish Producers' Association will be held in Escanaba Jan. 24-26 at the Hotel Ludington. Roy Jensen, former president of the Escanaba district of the association, said this morning.

He estimated roughly that about 200 fishermen from all over the state will attend.

Members of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service and of the Michigan Conservation Department will attend, as well as representatives of businesses which sell supplies to commercial fishermen.

This will be the first year the convention has ever been held in Escanaba, Jensen said. A bulletin from the conservation department fisheries workers noted that the commercial fishermen have met in Traverse City the past several years.

Jensen said an attempt is in the works to rotate the convention between the Upper and Lower Peninsulas each year.

Melvin Jacobson of Wells is president of the Escanaba district of the association. Walter Olson is its treasurer.

## Reunion In Pontiac

PONTIAC (AP)—Ray Hayden, 70, a Pontiac storekeeper, had a New Year's Day reunion here with his brother, John, 65, of Salem, Va. They had not seen one another for 46 years. Their only contact had been through Christmas cards. Ray was waiting at the bus station when John arrived. The brothers did not immediately recognize each other. John started towards a phone booth to call his brother. They ran step forward and asked his name. That's how the reunion started.

## New York Ex-Mayor Gets Fat Position; Wagner Denies Deal

NEW YORK (AP)—Former Mayor Vincent R. Impellitteri will be sworn in today as justice of the Court of Special Sessions amid speculation that he made a "deal" with his bitter political foe, the new mayor, Robert F. Wagner Jr.

After his formal inauguration Friday as mayor, Wagner said there was "no deal" in connection with his appointment of Impellitteri to the \$19,500-a-year post. Wagner said he promised the job to his predecessor under the urging of the City Board of Estimate.

But observers have pointed out Impellitteri's last-minute appointments of two men who opposed him in last fall's political campaign. He gave \$15,000-a-year lifetime job as water supply commissioner to Herbert M. Rosenberg, former special U. S. attorney who is a strong backer of Tammany Hall leader Carine G. De Sapio, who opposed Impellitteri. And a Domestic Relations judgeship went to Wilfred A. Waltemade, assistant Bronx County district attorney.

Wagner's assertion that the Board of Estimate urged him to give Impellitteri a job had the backing of City Council President Rudolph Halley, who ran for mayor on the Liberal party ticket.

Two more years in city service will entitle Impellitteri to an annual \$20,000 pension. Wagner defeated Impellitteri in the Democratic primary.

## Industrial Property Values Remain High

WASHINGTON (AP)—Industrial expansion and the high cost of new construction probably will keep prices of industrial property from dropping during the coming six months, the National Assn. of Real Estate Boards said today.

The association made public its 56th semiannual survey of the real estate market, which it said indicated that industrial property prices during the first half of 1954 are expected to remain at the same general level that has held for the past six months.

Nearly 75 per cent of the real estate boards surveyed in 259 communities, the association said, voiced this opinion.

## Hunts His Own Son

CLEVELAND (AP)—Deputy Inspector Chester I. Burnett, head of the police Missing Persons Bureau, was out hunting today—for his own son.

George Burnett, 15, had been missing for 48 hours, the inspector said Friday night. The boy vanished Wednesday at about the same time as a schoolmate, Jacqueline Kastner, also 15.

## Women Bartenders Deported

LAWRENCE, Mass. (AP)—The local bartenders union has asked the license commission to bar women bartenders, saying their presence would be "detrimental to the industry."

## More Snow Is Expected Here

U. S. Meteorologist S. E. Decker said this morning that he expects more snow in Escanaba this afternoon and Sunday afternoon. The weather will turn colder this afternoon, the weatherman also noted.

About three inches of dry snow which fell Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday night in Escanaba was converted into "snowball snow" by warmer weather this morning, the weatherman remarked.

The New Year's Day high temperature was 31 and came between 5 and 6 a. m. It then turned colder and the mercury was between 20 and 25 most of 1954's first day.

After a low of 21 at 10 Friday night, the temperature warmed up to 32 at 7:30 this morning.

## Personals

Mrs. John Hulin, 512 S. 13th St., has returned from LaGrange Park, Ill., where she visited her son-in-law and daughter and her grandsons, Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Greene and Dennis. She has been away since Dec. 15.

Mrs. Anna Harrod, 411 S. 10th St., returned Friday night from a 10-day visit with relatives in Evanston, Chicago, Mount Prospect, and LaGrange Park, Ill.

Ralph R. Witte returned here yesterday after spending the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Witte, of Ossining, N. Y.

Charles Beggs and his guest, JoAnn Rust of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., spent the New Year holiday at the home of Charles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Beggs, 1308 Ludington St. Sunday, JoAnn will return to the Soo and Mr. Beggs will resume his studies at Michigan State College, East Lansing.

Misses Joan Jensen, Kay Colvin, Jane Harrison and Carol Beggs will return tomorrow to Kalamazoo where they are attending Western Michigan College of Education. They all are freshmen students.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle J. Utt and family left this morning for Valley City, N. D., after a holiday visit with relatives in Escanaba.

Cpl. Warren E. Carlson left Friday morning for Camp Pendleton, Calif., after spending a 15-day leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Carlson, 1006 Stephenson Ave.



**IT'S WELL APPRECIATED**—This Korean waif finds it hard to believe his eyes as he receives a man-size drumstick from Cpl. Joseph Gallipoli, of Cleveland, Ohio. The boy was among thousands of children who were guests of G.I.'s stationed with the U. S. 7th Infantry Division in Korea.

## Two New Year's Day Babies Born Here

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## Obituary

### HARVEY NEPHEW

Friends of Harvey Nephew of Osier may call at Skradski Funeral Home after noon Sunday. The rosary will be recited Sunday night at 8 in the funeral home. Funeral services will be Monday morning at 9 in St. Charles' Catholic Church in Rapid River. Walter Cole Post of the American Legion, Rapid River, will observe military rites for the World War I veteran. Mr. Nephew will be buried in Rapid River Cemetery.

A good team of Arctic sled dogs, pushed by an expert driver, can cover 100 miles in a day with a light load.

## Briefly Told

**Fire Call**—The first "TV fire call" in Escanaba was received at 2:20 p. m. Jan. 1 by the Escanaba fire department from Carl Bloomberg, 819 Washington Ave., who reported a short in his television receiver. There was no damage.

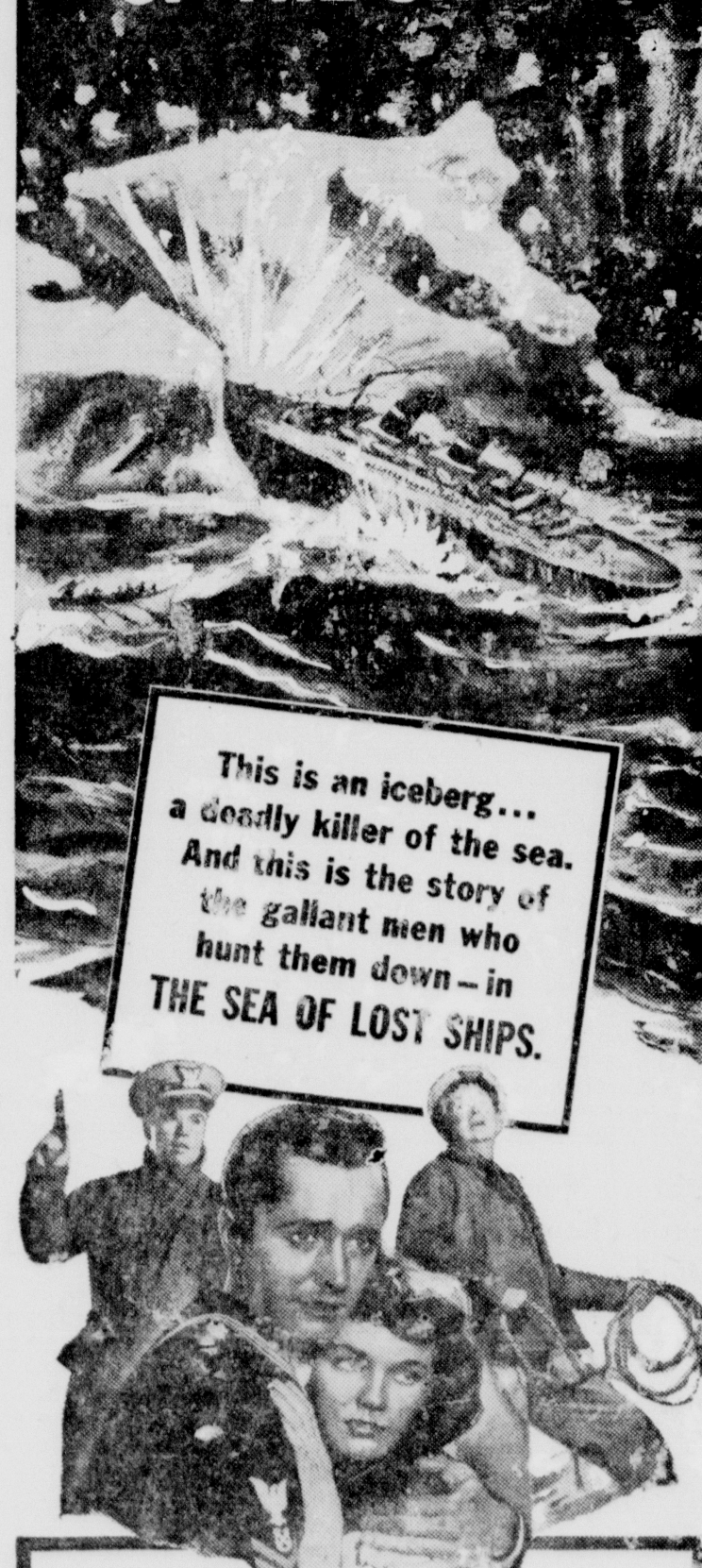
**Driver Is Charged** — Horace L. Cross, 47, of 605 S. 10th St., was arrested by Escanaba police at 4:40 a. m. Jan. 1 in the 1300 block, Ludington St., and was charged with driving while under the influence of intoxicants. Police reported that Cross' car was weaving in traffic, traveling over the speed limit, and endangering other autos.

**Motorists Ticked** — Escanaba police have issued traffic violation tickets to the following motorists: Clarence Froelich, Wilson Rte. 1, defective brakes; Dale Lippold, 902 S. 14th St., illegal U-turn; Robert LaForest, Gladstone Rte. 1, speeding and disobeying a stop sign; Leon Jacobsen, Wells, disobeying a stop sign; Ernest J. Carlson, Wells, speeding and disobeying a stop sign.

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## Loney LaFave Taken By Death

Loney LaFave, 83, long time resident of Durand's Corners, died at 6:30 New Year's Eve at St. Francis Hospital. He had been ill the past month.

He was born in Peshtigo, Wis., Dec. 13, 1870. He had been employed by the Michigan State Highway Department several years.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Nellie Pearson, Escanaba, and several nieces and grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 today at the Alto Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Karl J. Hammar officiating. Burial was in Gardens of Rest Cemetery.

## Former Spalding Resident Dies In Fairbanks, Alaska

Mrs. Charles T. Cory, 45, of Fairbanks, Alaska, a former Powers-Spalding area resident, died Dec. 23, 1953 at 6 a. m. at the Fairbanks Hospital.

Born Dec. 10, 1908 at Spalding, the former Rose Nowack resided there until 1952 when she joined her husband at Alaska. Prior to her marriage and following her marriage, Mrs. Cory taught in Menominee County Schools. She also taught school at Alaska since her arrival there.

She is survived by her husband; four daughters, Mary Lee, a student nurse at Harper Hospital, Detroit, Sally Ann, Rose Marie and Kathleen Kay, all of Fairbanks; one son, Stanley of Fairbanks; her mother, Mrs. Nadeline Nowack of Spalding; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Chapman of Marquette, Mrs. Anna Nunez of Detroit, Mrs. Isabel Hollinger of Royal Oak and Miss Nadeline of Chicago, and one brother, Frank of Spalding.

The body arrived at Menominee today and was taken to the Kell Funeral Home. Friends may begin calling at the Kell Funeral Home Sunday at 2 p. m.

The rosary will be recited at the funeral home Sunday at 8 p. m.

Funeral services will be held at 9 a. m. Monday at St. Francis Xavier Church at Spalding with Rev. Walter Franzek officiating. Burial will be made in Spalding Township Cemetery.

## Cornell

### 4-H Holiday Party

CORNELL — Cornell Senior Girls 4-H club enjoyed a holiday party at the home of Janice McFadden Monday evening. Games, contests, and singing were enjoyed during the evening. Attending were Patsy Anderson, Grace, Charlotte, and Donna Budinger, Everett and Jerry Miron, Ethel and Linda Olson, Connie and Beverly Blixt, Jaunita and Caroline Carlson, Carol Bucklund, Marilyn, Patsy and Virginia Trenary, Jean and Carol Ford, Yvonne Gamache, Jean Campbell, Nancy Way, Ruth Anderson, Susanne Thompson, Verna Terrien and Marice Harrison. Leaders attending were Mrs. Robert Thompson, Mrs. Eugene Miron and Mrs. Perle Way. There was a gift exchange and each member and leader present received a gift. In addition the group presented Miss Everett Miron with a gift as a remembrance of her many years in 4-H club work and her services to the club. Miss Miron, 21, the age limit for a 4-H member, presented her leaders Mrs. Perle Way and Mrs. Ted McFadden, with gifts of appreciation. Lunch was served.

**Briefs**  
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wight of Grand Rapids spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wight and family of Cornell.

Richard Wight, of Fairchild Air

## FRUIT (Hen's That Is) . . .



**TWO OVER EASY**—It may not make your mouth water, but this Slamese twin egg is enough to make Arthur Martin, of Beaumont, Tex., mighty happy. The strange egg was laid by one of his hens. Poultrymen agree that this type of double-headed is quite a feat.

## . . . and VEGETABLE



**CHILES PLAY**—Henry P. Chiles (center) doesn't mind offering his head for comparison with these giant turnips he grew near Mauer Lake, Excelsior Springs, Mo. When he isn't farming in Clay County, Chiles is treasurer of adjacent Jackson County.

## Veterans' Home Loans Increase

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Veterans Administration reported today it guaranteed nearly five per cent more GI home loans during 1953 than in 1952 and that the houses cost more.

The average price, the agency said, was \$11,275, compared to \$10,915 in 1952, in part because of demand for larger houses with more equipment.

The VA said in a year-end review of its 1953 loan guaranty operations that it guaranteed more than 326,000 home loans totalling over three billion dollars. The 1952 totals were 306,000 home loans exceeding \$2,700,000,000.

About two-thirds of the 320,000 veterans who obtained loans last year bought newly-built homes. VA figured the new homes financed under its program—about 200,000—accounted for about 20 per cent of all new one-family and two-family homes built over the nation in 1953.

Force Base, Wash., spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wight.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Schmidt and daughter Karen are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lundgaard.

Mr. and Mrs. William Woodard of Chicago spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Woodard and family of Cornell.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford L. Malnor of Rapid River are the parents of a son, Mark David, born Dec. 31 at St. Francis Hospital. The baby weighed 7 pounds and 6 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Paulson, 409 S. 18th St., are the parents of a son born at St. Francis Hospital today, Jan. 2, at 8:50 a. m. The baby's weight at birth was 8 pounds and 6 ounces.

## Plant Factories Are Speedier Than Man's

OTTAWA, (AP)—The National Research Council says plant life is miles ahead of man when it comes to manufacturing processes. Two of the council's scientists found that plants can change air into wood in less than 10 seconds. In this period carbon dioxide becomes solid cellulose, the material which forms the framework or skeleton of most plants.

Dr. Paul M. Laughton and Dr. D. C. Mortimer, of the plant physiology section of NRC, exposed sugar beet leaves to small amounts of carbon dioxide under a bright light.

The carbon dioxide was first radioactive so it could be identified when it got inside the plant. The leaves were allowed to absorb the gas for varying periods and then were killed in boiling water.

Radioactive cellulose was found in the leaves even though they had absorbed the gas for only 10 seconds.

"This cellulose must have been made from the radioactive gas," the council said. "It follows that the plant can make these extremely complex changes, from air to wood, in less than 10 seconds."

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## Report 36 Coyotes, One Wolf Bagged In Delta In November

Trappers and hunters bagged nine wolves in the Upper Peninsula during November, the same number as taken during September, the Conservation Department reports.

Also, bountied were 288 coyotes, all but 28 being taken in the Upper Peninsula.

A total of \$5,220 was paid in bounties for the predators. Three of the wolves—two males and one female—were taken in Baraga County, while one male and one female were taken in Chippewa County. Of the remainder, one each was taken in Delta, Luce, Marquette and Menominee Counties.

Iron County produced 42 coyotes, tops in the state during the month, while 36 were bountied in Delta County and 34 in Ontonagon County.

## Perkins

### Killed In Fall

PERKINS—Everette Layman of Milwaukee who was killed in a fall from a smoke stack scaffolding at Janesville, Wis., Tuesday, was a nephew of Mrs. John Fuhrman and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nordstrom of Perkins and a cousin of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fuhrman.

### Bethany Society Meeting

PERKINS—The Women's Missionary Society of Bethany Lutheran Church will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Chester Harris Wednesday evening, Jan. 6.

Gerard Depuydt and son Kenneth have returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vermote and daughters Cherie and Jacqueline of St. Nicholas have returned from a visit in Green Bay with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Arbour, Mrs. Arbour is the former Mary Vermote of St. Nicholas.

Miss Louise Marie Jodocy, a student at Northern Michigan College of Education, Marquette, and Miss Alice Jodocy, who teaches in Flint, spent the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jodocy of St. Nicholas.

Mrs. Marie Dumas, an aunt of Mr. and Mrs. Ray LeClaire and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel LeGault, died in Iron Mountain Dec. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hadis of Gwynn visit Mr. and Mrs. William Sharkey and Mrs. Peter Hagen. Cpl. Kenneth Duchaine and Cpl. Monday Hayes of New York City left Monday for Ft. Benning, Ga., following a short visit with Cpl. Duchaine's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vermote of St. Nicholas.

Mrs. Aldon Sharkey spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McGinnis in Escanaba.

Mary Gerou, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolore Gerou Jr. of Escanaba visited her grandmother, Mrs. Peter Peterson.

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**OUT THEY COME** — A sculptor at the German Health Museum in Cologne checks some giant models of human teeth hanging out on a washline to dry. They are part of the museum's mobile exhibit which is currently touring Germany. The plastic teeth are used to demonstrate effects of various stages of decay if dental health is neglected.

## Briefly Told

**Adult Education**—Adult education classes will be resumed on regular schedule Monday, Jan. 4.

**Rotary Program**—Miss Mary Groos will present an illustrated "Tour of Europe" to the Escanaba Rotary Club at its meeting to be held Monday noon at the Delta Hotel. Miss Groos visited Europe last summer.

**Kiwanis Program**—Alaskan hunting scenes in color from the movie film collection of William J. DeCock will be shown at the Escanaba Kiwanis Club meeting Monday noon at the House of Ludington. The program chairman will be J. L. Tenby.

**Stamp Collectors**—The Escanaba Philatelic Society will hold its first 1954 meeting at 3 Sunday

afternoon at the city hall. There will be a short business meeting. S. P. A. stamp books will be shown and there will be a trading session. All stamp collectors are invited to attend.

### FIRST MONEY LENDERS

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**MEET THYBERG WEAR DIAMONDS**

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## INVITATION TO BID on FIRE INSURANCE and LIABILITY COVERAGE

The City of Escanaba is taking bids on Fire Insurance and Liability coverage on the Exhibition Building at the Fair Grounds, and the activities carried on in that building during the winter months. Items of coverage are specifically listed in a schedule obtainable from the City Clerk, City Hall, Escanaba, Mich.

Bids must be received not later than eight (8) o'clock P. M. January 7, 1954, at which time they will be opened by the Council at a public meeting.

Submission and acceptance of bids are subject to cancellations set forth in "Invitation to Bid" and schedule attached thereto.

**City of Escanaba**  
GEORGE M. HARVEY, CITY CLERK

## Beaver Season Dates Reported

LANSING — Beaver and otter regulations for 1954 may be somewhat more restrictive than they were in 1953, the conservation department reports.

For several years prior to the 1953 season, trappers had only fair success because of weather and other factors that allowed the beaver population to build to a dangerous high. Damage complaints were common and field workers were happy to see trappers take a record 17,500 beaver during 1953.

This year, however, beaver populations are closer to normal, so the more liberal regulations in force last year may have to be cut back somewhat.

The department's game division has recommended the following regulations be considered by the conservation commission at its January meeting in Lansing:

That the season in the western Upper Peninsula run April 1-15, with each trapper allowed six beaver and three otter. Last year, the season in this area ran April 1-21.

That the eastern Upper Peninsula season, not including a large closed area, be open April 7-19, with trappers allowed six beaver

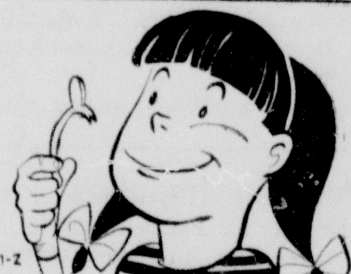
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and three otter. Last year, with the same bag limits, the season ran April 1-14.

That the entire Lower Peninsula, except for a narrow closed strip along the Lake Michigan shore, be open March 20-31, with trappers each allowed four beaver and three otter. Last year, the Lower Peninsula was divided into two large areas, with somewhat more liberal regulations in force.

Trappers are urged to check with local conservation authorities before making definite plans for the trapping season; a number of small, closed areas are included in this year's regulations and detailed instructions concerning these will be available after the commission establishes regulations.

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7:00—Evening News Edition  
7:15—H. V. Kaltenborn  
7:30—Know Your NBC's  
7:45—Steadily We Hail  
7:55—Forty Forgotten Men  
8:00—College Bowl Quiz  
8:10—Theatre Royal  
8:20—The Hollywood Story  
8:30—Saturday Night Record Party  
8:40—F. W. King  
8:50—News from NBC  
9:00—Forward March  
9:10—Hollywood Palladium

Sunday

A. M.  
7:30—Record Rhythm Special  
8:00—News  
8:30—Record Rhythm Special  
9:00—World News Round-Up  
9:15—Youth Brings You Music  
9:30—Record Rhythm Special  
10:00—National Radio Pulpit  
10:30—Art of Living  
10:45—ESCANABA CHURCH of the AIR—First Presbyterian  
11:45—Organal  
12:00—Sunday Serenade  
P. M.  
12:15—Noon News  
12:30—Sunday Showcase  
1:30—Sunday Matinee  
2:30—American Forum of the Air  
3:00—Hour of St. Francis  
3:15—Serenade in Blue  
3:30—Golden Treasury  
4:00—Weekend  
6:00—Bob Considine  
6:15—Report On America  
6:30—NBC SYMPHONY  
7:30—The Marriage  
7:55—News  
8:05—CATHOLIC QUARTER HOUR  
Rev. John Vincent Suhr  
8:15—Life's Fuller Measure  
8:30—NBC STAR PLAYHOUSE  
9:25—News

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9:30—To Be Announced

10:00—Last Man Out

10:30—Catholic Hour

11:00—News

11:15—Joseph C. Harsch

11:30—Star From Paris

Monday Thru Friday

A. M.

6:00—Top O' The Morning

6:25—News

6:30—Top O' The Morning

7:00—News

7:05—Top O' The Morning

7:30—News

7:35—Top O' The Morning

7:45—Moments With God

8:00—Breakfast Review of the News

8:15—Top O' The Morning

9:00—Breakfast At The Sherman

9:30—Stork Club

9:35—Housewives Exchange

9:55—News

10:00—Welcome Travelers

10:30—Here's News for the Ladies

10:45—Break the Bank

11:00—Strike It Rich

11:30—The Phrase That Pays

11:45—Second Chance

12:00—Music In Miniature

P. M.

12:15—Noon News Edition

12:30—Social Reporter

12:35—Music For Noon

1:00—ESCANABA DAILY PRESS

OF THE AIR

1:15—Off The Records

2:00—Michigan School of the Air

2:30—Gladstone Hour

2:35—News

3:00—Life Can Be Beautiful

3:15—Road Of Life

3:30—Pepper Young's Family

3:45—Right To Happiness

4:00—Backstage Wife

4:15—Stella Dallas

4:30—Young Widder Brown

4:45—Woman In My House



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## Editorials—

### 1954 Will Be Year To Test Moral Strength Of Americans

As a new year begins, it is the part of wisdom for a nation, like a business, to review its assets and its liabilities.

On the credit side, the United States has an unrivaled standard of living. Our men and women enjoy wages and working conditions superior to those existing anywhere else. The tide of goods and services that flows endlessly along the American production and distribution line staggers the imagination. Materially speaking, business, agriculture and labor are doing well.

We have a political system which comes

## Warming Impulses

ONE way for a government to increase its revenues is to reduce taxes!

Does that sound like a foolish contradiction in terms? Well, it describes exactly what has been happening in Canada. In that country's 1953-54 budget, both individual income taxes and corporation taxes were cut, by 11 per cent and 9 per cent respectively. After six months of operation, this budget had brought the government some \$90,000,000 more than was the case last year when the higher tax rates were in effect.

What happened, in the words of Time, is that "the tax reductions apparently sent warming impulses throughout the entire Canadian economy." In other words, Canadians saw more incentive to work hard and take financial risks—and citizen and government alike came out ahead.

## Words, Wit & Wisdom

By William Morris

Here are ten "look-alike" words, each one of which should be in your speaking vocabulary. To help you keep from being confused as to which is appropriate to a given situation, you will find below ten sample sentences. See if you can fit the right word in to the right blank. Then check your answers against the score below.

(a) regretful, (b) regrettable, (c) principal, (d) principle, (e) masterful, (f) masterly, (g) legislation, (h) legislative, (i) luxurious, (j) luxuriant.

1. Mitch Miller sports a truly—

2. The congressman proposed three types of reform—

3. Staining the rug with ink was a truly—incident.

4. I am speaking as the—stockholder in the business.

5. Her letter sounded truly— that we didn't meet.

6. The President will not be swayed on this matter of high—

7. For centuries the royal family has been used to—living.

8. The senate is the senior body in our state—

9. The champion's performance was truly a— one.

10. In WUTHERING HEIGHTS Heathcliff was a strong-willed— character.

ANSWERS: Score yourself "excellent" if you have ten correct; "good for eight right" if you have fewer than eight correct, better check all the words in your dictionary and practice using them until you can employ them with confidence in conversation and writing.

1), 2g, 3b, 4c, 5a, 6d, 7i, 8h, 9f and 10e.

How large is your vocabulary? How many thousands of words can you use with confidence? For the answers to these questions just send a self-addressed stamped envelope to William Morris, in care of this paper, for a free copy of his new self-scoring vocabulary test. It will show you how many words you know now and how to increase your word power almost overnight.

## The Gospel of John

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

During the early part of 1954 many Sunday schools will be studying the Gospel of John. A word or two concerning that Gospel may be of help.

I had the advantage of a brilliant exposition and analysis of the Gospel by the late Wilbur W. White at some of the conferences many years ago, the memory and effect of which have been with me ever since.

The Gospel of John begins not with a record of events, as in the other three Gospels, but with a prologue, or thesis. In this prologue the author sets forth his belief in Jesus as the Eternal Word, the Word which was in the beginning, was with God and was God (John 1:1). It is a plain statement of the divinity of Christ.

Dr. White represented all that follows in the Gospel as the evidences of what the author had set out to prove: the witness of Jesus' mighty works, the witness of early Samaritan women, the witness of various incidents, the witness of Jesus Himself, and the crowning witness of the Resurrection. Despite its nature and its witness, the Gospel of John has been the subject of keen controversy.

From the apparent late date of its appearance, and doubt concerning whether its author was the Apostle John, some have questioned its authenticity. Others have seen in the fourth Gospel the addition, the crowning and the climax of all that had gone before in the Gospels of Matthew, Mark and Luke.

as close to being responsive to the wishes of the people as any one can conceive of. In the last presidential election the people removed from power a party which had been in control for 20 years and put another in its place. In some future election the party now in power will be replaced. But no heads roll; no purges are held; the losers are not liquidated. All are free to air their views.

We are no longer actually at war, unsatisfactory as the Korean situation is. If recent reports are correct, our military strength and that of Western Europe have shown remarkable improvement. The chance of another world war is less than it was.

So much for the credit side of the ledger. What of the debits?

The most disheartening domestic development of recent times has been the growing dependence of millions of people on government, mainly the federal government, to provide services and benefits that, if a free system is to be preserved, must remain the responsibility of the individual and the family group. There has been a blind seeking for a kind of cradle-to-the-grave security whose end, in the sweep of history, has always been the sapping of moral fiber and spiritual values and ultimate slavery. The most obvious manifestations of super-government are crushing taxes and mounting national debts, and the inevitable undermining of economic and political freedoms.

Another phase of the debit side is found in the long strides that have been made in either socializing outright American enterprises and resources, or in subjecting them to so much government dictation and control that socialization comes ever nearer. And socialism, historically, is but the fore-runner of communism or some similar system of government by oppression and terror.

It is true that our present government is pledged to reverse this deadly process. It is true that some heartening steps in that direction have been made. It is equally true that the forces that would destroy our free system and replace it with a very different kind of system are still availing their chance.

As a matter of self preservation we must put the welfare of the nation first in considering important national issues, because our jobs, our businesses, our farms, and our liberties depend upon the perpetuation of a strong nation of self-governing people.

What the decision will be depends entirely upon our moral strength. Will we welcome policies and programs that are in accord with the philosophy of maximum freedom for all—and will we accept the temporary financial dislocations that such policies and programs may create? It will not be easy to end the era of do-all, give-all government. But, if the traditions and ideals to which we all pay lip service, and which have made us great and strong are to be preserved, it is as necessary as the air we breathe.

Nineteen fifty-four will be a year to test whether the American people will have what it takes to maintain themselves as independent individuals.

## UNCLE EF



It's the observation of Old Man Hobbs that people who are always looking at their watches are usually late when you're to meet them some place.

## Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — While Secretary of Commerce Weeks has been issuing bullish statements about the economic outlook, he has sent nervous, confidential instructions to his subordinates to watch for signs of a recession.

In a 13-point directive, not meant for public consumption, Weeks ordered his section heads to report any change in business statistics to him at once, so he could warn other government agencies. He called upon them to "analyze economic trends and problems as a basis for stimulating growth and business stability; also, as a basis for helping to restore stability in the event of economic recession."

Weeks' antidote in case of an economic breakdown is the same system of controls that he was in such a hurry to abolish when he first took office. He ordered his assistants to "be prepared at all times to establish and operate the industrial regulations and controls that have been found necessary during war emergencies, e. g., allocation and control of strategic materials, analysis of production capacity, survey of facilities, etc."

However, the directive stressed that the government should keep its nose out of business and let private enterprise "do the job," if at all possible. The "job to be done," Weeks pointed out, is only to "advise" on the "health of our business system."

The Commerce Secretary also suggested using higher tariffs as an economic pump-primer, a proposal that clashes head-on with President Eisenhower's "trade not aid" policy. Weeks ordered his subordinates to keep a watchful eye on the flow of exports and imports, so he can recommend raising the tariffs if need be to protect selected U. S. industries.

Note—One proposal that the President is considering to combat recession is an "atomic works" program, instead of the old-fashioned "public works." Under this plan, federal funds would be pumped into the development of atomic weapons and power projects, rather than building post offices, courthouses, and highways.

Needling The Elephant—Adlai Stevenson sent a special hand-drawn Christmas card to the Democratic National Committee. On the outside, he scrawled "Season's Greetings" in red crayon. On the inside was an etching he had picked up in India, showing a bearded huntsman shooting an arrow at a fleeing elephant. The arrow was firmly embedded in the south end of the northbound elephant, symbol of the Republican party.

Pella's Plea—At the recent foreign ministers' conference in Paris, Italian Premier Giuseppe Pella appealed to Secretary of State Dulles to intervene personally in the Trieste dispute. The Italian premier wanted Dulles to put the heat on Marshal Tito to settle the Trieste question, thus short-circuiting the slow, complex negotiations now under way. However, Dulles flatly refused to by-pass diplomatic channels.

Parting With Pleasure—It is customary for top government officials who leave a job they don't like to resign "with regret." When Russ Rorbes quit as No. 2 man in the General Services Administration, however, he broke tradition and wrote gleefully: "It is with great pleasure that I hereby tender my resignation."

Disposal Dilemma—The Army is stuck with 15,000 surplus 20-MM. gun mounts, worth millions. Stored at Mechanicsburg, Pa., they are rapidly becoming museum pieces. The Army has tried to palm them off on our allies, but has found no takers.

Stuck On The Job—Secretary of State Dulles doesn't know it, but hundreds of his career employees would resign overnight, if they could get a letter of appreciation to take with them. However, the division chiefs are now so afraid they might inadvertently praise a future McCarthy suspect that they won't express themselves in writing. As a result, many who would like to quit are afraid to do so. Without a thank-you letter, they fear they may be confused with the 306 employees who have been kicked out as security risks.

## NONEXPLOSIVE ATOM

A French newspaper recently hinted at it, but the United States has discovered how to take the explosive power out of atomic material. This is the reason President Eisenhower felt it safe to propose an international atomic pool for peaceful purposes.

Inside story is that the United States, as far back as 1946, developed a process for "denaturing" fissionable material so that it can be used for atomic fuel but not weapons.

The President's plan would require that all fissionable material, contributed to the atomic pool, must be processed, so that no bomb could use it to construct atomic bombs. Under this process, the atomic material is contaminated until it is unusable for explosives. At least, atomic scientists claim it would take so many years to restore the polluted material that it wouldn't be worth while.

An ad offers a woman a position with an orchestra playing second fiddle. We'll bet no married gal will apply.

## Into The Past

10 YEARS AGO

GARDEN—A concerted search in the Thompson area of Lake Michigan is being made for the fishing tug Reliance, which has been missing since before Christmas. Wreckage, thought to be portions of the boat were sighted off Thompson yesterday.

MANISTIQUE—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carlson, residing east of here, were honored yesterday on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

SAULT STE. MARIE—While shipping of ore through the locks here broke all previous records in 1943, the shipment of grain, particularly wheat was 28 per cent more than the highest previous record.

20 YEARS AGO

GLADSTONE—The hockey rink at the yacht club basin is now ready and a hockey team is in the process of organization.

## Timely Oracle



## Government Contracts Getting Scarce; Competition Is Rough

By DOUGLAS LARSEN

NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON —(NEA)— Fat government contracts are getting scarce these days. As a result, the competition for them is getting rough and tumble.

Fortunately, a new friend of businessmen—and of taxpayers—has stepped in as a referee to see that big and small firms alike get a fair share of Uncle Sam's business.

This is the General Accounting Office, an arm of Congress formerly regarded as a sort of super auditing office which only found mistakes and chancery after they were committed.

Now, however, at the request of an ever-growing number of firms, the GAO is looking into disputed purchases before or just after they are made. As a result it's reversing the decisions of government purchasing agents when regulation violations are discovered.

This development could revo-



WARREN: GAO's boss produced an opinion.

lutionize government buying procedures. It is eliminating the need for "five percenters" and high-paid Washington agents. All a businessman has to do is write a letter to get the GAO into the act.

Recently, bids were sought on more than \$250,000 worth of electronics gear. The contract was awarded to the third lowest bidder, although the lowest bid was \$17,000 less.

When the low man complained he was told that the equipment which was to be purchased was of better quality than his. He went to GAO where an investigation revealed that the low man's product met the original specifications in every detail. The original contract was cancelled and the low man eventually got the business.

In some cases it's not a question of the lowest bid but a matter of delivery time. On a recent truck contract one manufacturer got a big order because his bid was \$3517.91 per truck, compared to the next highest of \$3664.70.

However the highest bidder complained to GAO on the grounds that the low man did not agree to make delivery in 120 days, a specification in the original advertising of the bid. Fast delivery involved overtime

which increased the price, it was argued. This one was reversed, too.

When GAO boss, Comptroller General Lindsay C. Warren, was challenged on his authority to take such actions he produced an opinion which states:

"Under the Budget and Accounting Act of 1921 one of the primary duties of the General Accounting Office is to determine the validity of public expenditures and contracts. Decisions of the Comptroller General on questions concerning their legality are conclusive on the executive branch of the government irrespective of the way in which such questions arise."

GAO has actually been reviewing disputed contract cases for many years. But few firms have known that the service existed. Of late, the Senate Small Business Committee has been referring scores of complaints from small firms to GAO. Most of the big government contractors are now starting to take advantage of this service, too. It's booming GAO's business.

A few months ago the Air

Force awarded a contract for water purifiers to the McCollip-Christie Co., whose bid was \$450 per unit. The low bid of Heyer Products Co., \$429.50, was passed over.

Heyer protested to the Senate committee, which referred it to the GAO. After study the GAO cancelled the more expensive bid. Total savings to the government were \$14,508.

"Not only has justice been done to a small business which was the lowest responsive bidder," said Sen. Homer Ferguson (R., Mich.), who is a member of the committee, "but the taxpayer also benefited."

In one of the latest actions of this type the GAO forced the Army to reopen bids for more than \$1,000,000 worth of electrical brakes. This was done when GAO found that the request "unnecessarily restricted competition to the product of one manufacturer."

Such a procedure tends to eliminate the "five percent" because the GAO review is strictly an examination of the records. It is subject to a minimum of "pressure" or influence.

## U-M Research Helps To Make Life Better

ANN ARBOR — Using equipment sometimes as simple as a tape measure or as complicated as a rocket, University of Michigan faculty members and Engineering Research Institute (ERI) staff persons made progress this year answering some research problems and discovering others.

During 1953 ERI also passed smoothly from one era to another when Prof. Albert E. White, founder and guide of the organization since 1920, retired and Prof. Richard G. Folsom took charge. Prof. Folsom arrived in time to help complete plans for the opening of laboratories in the Mortimer E. Cooley building which was dedicated during the celebration of the 100th anniversary of engineering instruction at the University.

Among other ERI developments during the year were:

Handling 1,000 operations of 13-digit numbers a second, the Michigan Digital Automatic Computer (MIDAC) went into action solving problems which have baffled industry and the Armed Forces for years. Tests with an analog computer proved that it can produce results as accurate as the more expensive and time-consuming experiments performed previously to test the ideas of automobile designers.

In July the Army Signal Corps enlisted ERI's aid to develop methods of gathering accurate, up-to-date combat intelligence. Much of the work on these projects was done at the Willow Run Research Center.

Uniformity of glare-free, shadowless daylight in "the classroom of tomorrow" developed under the leadership of Robert A. Boyd, research physicist, will make reading and other activities easier and more pleasant for pupils.

What are the possible ranges of

movement of the human foot, leg, arm and hand? The answer to this question provided from an ERI study headed by Associate Prof. Wilfrid T. Dempster will be used by the Air Force in the design of airplane cockpits.

Radar signals from equipment in rockets fired at White Sands Proving Ground, N. M., under the direction of Leslie M. Jones, research engineer, provided information on air-circulation patterns of the upper atmosphere.

Some 1,800 persons worked to add information to the stockpile of knowledge in the fields of metal structure, lake erosion, soil mechanics, ice formation, labor relations in the building industry, control of gaseous wastes in the air and many other areas.

During the fiscal year, July 1, 1952, to June 30, 1953, the volume of research was \$8,370,780, an increase of 28 per cent over the previous year. Work was done on 339 projects, with 70 being completed and 173 begun.

## So They Say

Every night before I go to sleep I murmur a little prayer of thanks that I'm not Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson. He really has problems.—Treasury Secretary Humphrey.

Inducements to stay in (service) have been rescinded by Congress. Life in the service no longer seems as attractive as civilian life. —Adm. Robert Carney.

I hope that our justified concern about communism in these days will not lead us further into a period of hysteria, as in the past. —Ex-President Truman.

## Good Evening...

By CLINT DUNATHAN

OF RESOLUTIONS—Some people consider New Year's resolutions a form of wishful thinking, while others resolutely resolve they will never make another New Year's resolution.

This leaves the field open to the serious minded individual who believes the beginning of each year is an opportunity to evaluate the mistakes of the past and resolve to avoid them in the future.

This is our intention in today's column. The subject is timely and a number of mistakes should be avoided in 1954.

In any examination it becomes at once apparent that the individual is his own worst enemy. Excuses are easy to muster in self-defense, all of the extenuating circumstances are well known, and it is difficult to list faults.

THE CRITIC—Therefore it is with some leniency we approach the one failing shared by so many of us—being overly-critical of others.

This is a very human weakness. The mote is always in the eye of others but never in our own.

In 1954 it will be our intention to be less on the alert for fault-finding, more inclined to wait until the facts are better known before voicing a critical opinion, and more forgiving of those who share with us the ability to make honest mistakes.

We will try to be less opinionated, which will be helpful in recognizing the worth of the opinions of others. In this way will come better understanding and a softening of the critical attitude.

THE PERFECTIONIST—To seek to accomplish the task you have set for yourself to the best of your ability is a laudable ambition; but to evaluate the work of others in the light of your own glowing perfectionist attitude usually degenerates into fault-finding.

There are no perfect people. The saints have human frailty and the blackest sinner has some virtue. For the majority of us, there are many gradations of good and bad.

The perfectionist may be respected but he is seldom loved. For usually his own human weaknesses give the lie to his superiority and prove that his practices seldom attain the high level of his precepts.

What at the world and every neighborhood needs today are individuals who are willing to work with people as they are, and not as we wish they would become. You cannot win people by condescending to stoop to "their level." You must meet them on common ground.

THE DO-GOODERS—Certainly in 1954 there should be an effort on the part of consciously "good people" to do their good with more humility and less pride in their benevolence.

Acts of kindness and charity that require publicity, recognition and memorials are half-gifts—for the giver is expecting something in return for his generosity.

The Lady and Gentlemen Bountiful who shine in the spotlight of public approval are more rewarded than the recipient of their largesse, who may have been kind that day to one of his fellow unfortunates.

To do good is commendable, but to do it for the sake of personal advancement is despicable and lacking in the true spirit of charity.

THE LEADERS—Every community and every nation has its leaders — political, spiritual, economic. Their leadership rests upon their attainments and the continuing approval of the majority of their people.

Their success in 1954 will depend upon how firmly they resolve to faithfully serve the best interest of the citizenry.

The hope of the world rests in them and in the developing leadership of men, perhaps now largely unknown, who can think and speak the language of peace and good will. For men will look for sincerity and faith in 1954 as seldom in the history of the world.

The demagogue and the political hack will be viewed against the larger scene of truth-seeking humanity and will lose stature in the process.

THE CITIZENS—The role of the citizen in 1954 will place unusual demands upon his mind and heart.

It will be his responsibility to look for the motive behind the act—seeking to determine the justice of criticism, the worth of perfection, the aim of gift-givers, and the truth and principle of leaders.

Every citizen should resolve that he will, in the year now starting, keep himself informed and alert and prepared to take an active citizenship role in his community, state and nation.

No need to make New Year's resolutions? Perhaps not—unless you have already arrived at that degree of excellence which precludes improvement.

Some of our teen-agers soon will be taking ice-skating lessons—and be allowed an unlimited number of sittings.

Nature still has the best air-cooling system. Really something to blow about.

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# Women's Activities

## Jefferson PTA Meets At School Tuesday Night

The Jefferson Parent Teacher Association will hold its first meeting of the new year at the school Tuesday, Jan. 5 at 7:30 p. m.

The proposed revised by-laws will be presented for discussion and action during the business meeting.

Following the business session George Ruwitch, assistant superintendent of schools and curriculum coordinator will speak on "The Program for Curriculum Improvement in the Public Schools of Escanaba."

A discussion period will follow the talk.

Fourth grade parents will be in charge of refreshments and hospitality during the social hour.



MRS. GEORGE JOHNSON was the former Miss Marlene Harris of Gladstone. The couple was married Saturday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m. (Sidney Ridings Photo)

## League Meeting Monday Evening At Carnegie Library

The League of Women Voters will meet at 8 p. m. Monday in Carnegie Public Library, when a committee studying state items will present a report following an interview of Rep. Einar Erlandson, Delta County representative in the Michigan legislature.

Views will be presented on three state issues of primary importance, as follows:

Improvement in the operation of Michigan election laws.

Thoughts on the need for uniform and scientific property assessment in Michigan.

State aid to local government and to schools on the basis of need and minimum standards.

## Daughter Is Born On New Year's Day

Airman I-c and Mrs. Clarence N. Hilgenbrink of Ft. Worth, Tex., welcomed their first child, New Year's Day, a daughter, whose name is Mary Catherine. The baby's mother is the former Gloria Barron, daughter of Mrs. Arthur Barron, 520 S. 14th St.



ENGAGEMENT TOLD — Announcement was made recently of the engagement of Miss Gladys W. Wester of Lansing to Donald A. Nygaard, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo. Miss Wester is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wester, Gladstone Rte. 1, and Mr. Nygaard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albin Nygaard, Gladstone Rte. 1.

## Church Events

**Bethany Board Meeting**  
The joint board of Bethany Lutheran Church will meet Monday at 7:30 p. m. at the church.

**Official Board Meeting**  
The official board of the First Methodist Church will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

**Central Methodist Board**  
The official board of Central Methodist Church will meet in the pastor's office Monday, Jan. 4 at 8 p. m.

**Bark River Services**  
A new schedule will begin this week at the Bark River Methodist Church. Sunday school will be at 2 p. m. and afternoon worship at 3 p. m. The Rev. Byron Hatch is minister of the church.

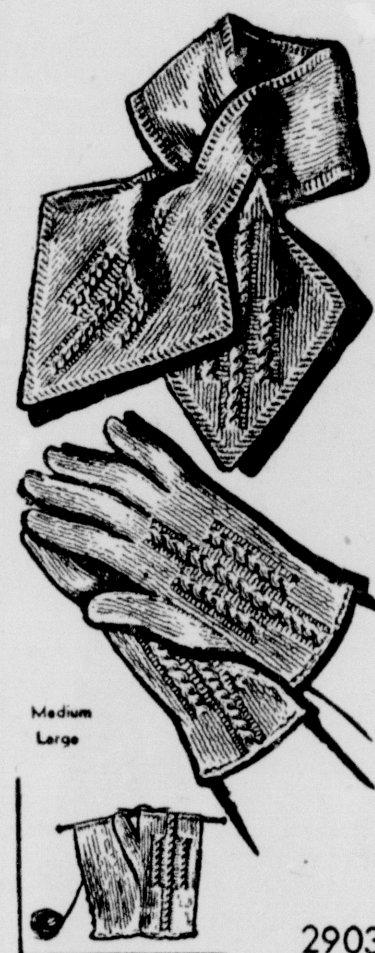
## C. & N. W. Club Meeting Monday

The Woman's Club of the Chicago & North Western Railway will hold a regular monthly meeting Monday, Jan. 4, at 2 p. m. at Grenier's Hall. After the business session lunch will be served and cards will be played. Mrs. Archie Campbell is chairman of the hostess committee which includes the Mesdames M. E. Vandenberg, A. R. Anderson, Peter C. Dube, Ivor J. Barber, William Corbett, Claude Raymond, Angeline La-Haie, William Nelson, William Sovey and Clarence Sovey.

## 'sabella

**Personals**  
ISABELLA — Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Johnson and son David of Detroit spent the New Year's weekend at the Caleb Johnson home.  
Wayne Groleau of Detroit is visiting relatives in Isabella and Manistique.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Detroit are the parents of a baby girl born Dec. 24. The new arrival weighed 7 1/2 pounds. Mrs. Smith is the former Mary Beth Sundling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Sundling.

**80th Anniversary**  
The family of Oscar Sundling celebrated his 80th birthday anniversary at a gathering at the home of his only daughter, Mrs. Victor Chandonais of Manistique during the holidays.



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## New Look For A New Year

By DOROTHY ROE  
Associated Press Fashion Editor  
Dieting will be the most popular pastime of 1954.

Women who hope to squeeze into the new skin-tight Empire sheaths can afford no extra bulk around the middle. Girdling will help some, but not enough, because as many of us have discovered with dismay, if you squeeze your girth in at one place it has to pop out somewhere else. And in the new clothes designers are cooking up for the new year, there is no place for a bulge to hide.

The newest silhouette, as seen in suits and dresses, hugs the figure from hemline to bustline. Jackets are likely to be the briefest of boleros, ending just below the bust, where they meet the high-riding skirts, stretched snugly around the rib cage.

**No Room for Bulges**  
The area from bust to waistline is where any hint of a rubber tire must be erased. And it looks like a tough year ahead for purveyors of bread, potatoes and hot-fudge sundaes—that is, if feminine will power holds out.

As always, of course, there are those women who would rather be comfortable than fashionable, and for these there are a few full-skirted dresses about, with soft and concealing draperies above and below the belt. But the high-style silhouette definitely is for string beans.

Those who feared the return of knee-length skirts in 1954 may relax, however. It seems that Christian Dior's July 1953 bombshell, which panicked the Paris fashion press, was merely a midsummer prank. After a welter of protests and denials, the new skirt length as advocated by Dior and most other dressmakers on both sides of the Atlantic is merely one inch shorter than that of a year ago.

The general idea of the 1954 "look" is that of a flower swaying on a long stem. If you can picture yourself as a long-stemmed American Beauty (without thorns, natch) you're all set. The stem is the narrow sheath skirt extending at least six inches above the natural waistline and fitting like the paper on the wall. The blossom is the rounded bodice or jacket, extending from bust to shoulders. All lines are curved at the top in the new silhouette. Sleeves are cut on round lines, with no shoulder seams, the greatest width being half-way between shoulder and elbow. All kinds of ingenious devices are employed to give a curving line to the area from collarbone to just below the bust. Some designers use drapery, others achieve the effect by interlinings which mold the fabric to the desired shape, even when the dress is on a hanger.

This new shapeliness of clothes is a boon to thin girls, who can acquire graceful curves merely by putting on one of the new garments. But it's tough for the overweight.

**Fabulous Fabrics**  
Fabrics will make the biggest fashion news of 1954. There are unbelievably beautiful new suitings made in the smoothest, lightest blends of silk and wool. There are nubby and cottons so smooth they look and feel like silk. There are silk linens in clear and lovely colors, and there are linen tweeds as handsome as their woolen counterparts. Most fabrics are designed to look like what they aren't—silk to look like wool, cottons to look like silk, linens to look like tweed, and wools to look like gossamer veils.

Synthetics also are present in the new fashion picture, developed into new blends and weaves with greater versatility and refinement than before. Blends of nylon and cotton, for instance, will be used in many resort and summer fashions, with telling effect. Dacron and Orlon also have come of



**FASHION FORECAST** . . . Typical of 1954 spring styles is this Empire suit with high-riding sheath skirt, open neckline, rounded lines at the top. It is shown in one of the most important fabrics of the new season, a feather-weight blend of silk and worsted.

age, as manufacturers have discovered the best ways of handling them in blends or alone.

The silk coat and the silk suit will be prominent in the 1954 winter Parade. The return of the black or navy turtletail or turtletail fitted coat for spring is one of the highlights of the coming spring season. Often these dressy coats will be seen with crisp white linen pique collars (in most cases buttoned in for easy laundering).

Loose, straight coats also are in the picture, in both silks and wools, and the brief shrug jacket in pastel fleece is still an important and versatile fashion, adapting itself to day or evening wear.

### Headliner Necklines

Necklines get particular attention from designers in the spring lineup. Suit collars are likely to stand away from the neck, drooping slightly in back. Some are cut low and open, others have a "picture-frame" effect. The wide boat neckline is popular in all categories—suits, coats and dresses. Often it is framed with a small, mandarin-type collar, framing the face and neck. Some coats have wide white collars, others achieve capelet effects through outside collars.

Hats will be small, flat and tilted forward, according to latest predictions from Paris. Crisp little veils will soften the somewhat severe effect.

Shoes will be merely a few narrow strips of leather attached to a thin sole and French heel, as the popularity of the open, fragile look continues. These, of course, should be confined to afternoon and evening wear. For street wear with tailored suits the shell pump still is tops, low cut, but with closed toe and heel. And for the youngster generation ballet-type flats still will be popular.

Gloves will be more important and longer, to meet the pushed up sleeves. The palest possible pastels will be seen in gloves of fine kidskin, doekskin and woven fabric.

Silk prints will be important in both suits and dresses for spring, the prints often being in several shades of the same color in a monotone effect. Thus they will appeal to many women who dis-

spring, because of its versatility. The low-cut dress with cover-up jacket has become a must in most women's wardrobes, since it permits one to start out in the morning prepared for any occasion of the day or evening. With the jacket, it is a tailored street costume. When the jacket is removed, the dress goes on to cocktails or dinner. Business women, especially, find this all-purpose costume indispensable.

While the sheath silhouette predominates the spring picture for grown-ups, juniors and teen-agers still go for the crinolined, full-skirted look, often wearing as many as four petticoats to hold out wide skirts. Such styles, of course, require the slim waistline of the very young to look their best. And even junior houses add a few sheath dresses and skirts to their lines.

The new clothes have an appeal that will impel many women to whip their figures into shape in order to wear them. And this should make everybody happy—the manufacturers, the retailers, the beauty salons, the life insurance companies and the girls themselves, who are going to adore being thin once more.

## Social-Club

**White Shrine Club**  
The White Shrine Social Club will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. at the Masonic Temple. Mrs. Mattie Simpson is chairman of the evening.

**St. Stephen's Guild**  
St. Stephen's Guild will meet Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 1:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. George M. Mashek, 516 Lake Shore Drive.

## Personals

Pvt. Donald Meunier who came from Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to spend a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meunier, 222 N. 12th St., left Thursday to report for duty at Ft. Sill, Okla.  
Mrs. Tom Charland and daughter Elsie of Chicago are visiting with relatives over the holidays.

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5:00 . . . . . A Day With Eddy Jason	7:50 . . . . . Today's News
5:30 . . . . . The Charlie Hanson Show	11:00 . . . . . Today's Headlines
6:30 . . . . . Captain Hal	11:15 . . . . . The Weatherman
7:00 . . . . . Captain Video	11:20 . . . . . TV Sports Review

### Sunday, Jan. 3—

P. M.	2:30 . . . . . Youth Takes A Stand
3:00 . . . . . Lamp Unto My Feet	3:30 . . . . . Man Of The Week
4:00 . . . . . Big Picture	4:30 . . . . . Adventure
5:00 . . . . . Hopalong Cassidy	5:30 . . . . . March of Time
6:00 . . . . . You Are There	6:30 . . . . . Life With Father
7:00 . . . . . Jack Benny	7:30 . . . . . Toast Of The Town
8:00 . . . . . I've Got A Secret	9:30 . . . . . My Little Margie
10:00 . . . . . The Web	10:30 . . . . . Family Theater

### Monday, Jan. 4—

P. M.	3:30 . . . . . Bob Crosby Show
4:00 . . . . . Cowboy Theater	4:30 . . . . . Death Valley Days
5:00 . . . . . Godfrey's Talent Scouts	5:30 . . . . . I Love Lucy
6:00 . . . . . Red Buttons	6:30 . . . . . Triangle Theater
7:00 . . . . . Cousin Fuzzy	7:30 . . . . . Studio One
8:30 . . . . . Feature Theater	

### Thursday, Jan. 7—

P. M.	3:30 . . . . . Gary Moore
3:45 . . . . . Bob Crosby Show	4:00 . . . . . Cisco Kid
4:30 . . . . . Valley Farm Theater	4:45 . . . . . Four Star Playhouse
5:00 . . . . . Manor House Playhouse	5:15 . . . . . To Be Announced
5:30 . . . . . To Be Announced	5:45 . . . . . Bob Nelson Show
6:00 . . . . . To Be Announced	6:15 . . . . . Rocky King, Detective
6:30 . . . . . Feature Theater	

### Friday, Jan. 8—

P. M.	3:30 . . . . . Bob Crosby Show
3:45 . . . . . Gary Moore	4:00 . . . . . Range Rider
4:30 . . . . . Ozzie & Harriet	4:45 . . . . . Topper
5:00 . . . . . Playhouse of Stars	5:15 . . . . . Badge 714

## Stove-To-Table Glassware's Boon To Women

By GAILE DUGAS  
NEA Woman's Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Mighty few women these days have the time to turn out the kind of dinner that was grandma's specialty. Many housewives are also working wives and those who are not take an active part in community and civic affairs such as grandma never contemplated.

Getting a hurry-up meal from stove to table in record time is a feat, particularly if your table is to look attractive and the food tempting. Recent brides, working wives, or women who haven't had a look at glass oven and flameware in a long time will find a solution to the problem of the quick meal in the brand new glassware. Decorator colors and modern styling have made it possible to take such glassware directly from stove to table and all at budget prices.

There are numerous advantages to planning your meals around glassware. You can make up your dishes, cook or bake them, serve them and store leftovers all in the same dish. It means less dishwashing and, therefore, less work.

Even newer than the clear glass ovenware that most of us know is the opaque glass in bright decorator finishes, planned to add its color to a table setting.

There are attractive glass containers for everything from your first course right on through to



The housewife or working wife who must turn out hurry-up meals can make them look attractive if she takes advantage of the new look in glass oven and flameware. This housewife takes meat loaf from oven (left) in oven-proof glass baking dish and brings it directly to the table (right). She made meat loaf ahead of time, baked it in glass dish, stored it in refrigerator, then reheated it.

dessert and coffee. Heat-resistant casseroles and baking dishes, ramekins, pie plates, percolators and tea makers lend a clean, uncluttered look to your kitchen while dishes are in preparation. While they're cooking, you can watch them easily to see how

they're progressing.

For the best decorative results pick your glass kitchen and table ware according to a plan that will make use of coordinated colors and designs. The colors you choose should blend in with the furnishings you already have.

Plates, cups, saucers, glasses and serving dishes should be well-proportioned.

As a final touch, you can use inexpensive wicker and black wrought iron holders for your glass baking dishes when they appear on the table.

**St. Patrick's Guild**  
Meets Sunday, 7:45 in church basement for Holy Communion at 8 o'clock Mass. Also, regular meeting Monday, 8 p. m. at hall

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3:45 . . . . . Bob Crosby Show	4:00 . . . . . Cowboy Theater
4:30 . . . . . Life Is Worth Living	4:45 . . . . . Liberate
5:00 . . . . . This Is Show Business	5:15 . . . . . Ringo With The Wrestlers
5:30 . . . . . Make Room For Daddy	5:45 . . . . . Feature Theater

### Wednesday, Jan. 6—

P. M.	3:30 . . . . . Bob Crosby Show
3:45 . . . . . Rocky Jones, Space Ranger	4:00 . . . . . Godfrey and His Friends
4:30 . . . . . Godfrey and His Friends	4:45 . . . . . Strike It Rich
5:00 . . . . . Boston Blackie	5:15 . . . . . Blue Ribbon Routs
5:30 . . . . . Greatest Dramas	5:45 . . . . . Feature Theater

10:00 . . . . . Triangle Theater
10:30 . . . . . What's New, Neighbor
11:30 . . . . . Dollar A Second
12:00 . . . . . Comeback Story
12:30 . . . . . Feature Theater

### Saturday, Jan. 9—

P. M.	2:30 . . . . . Big Top
3:30 . . . . . Saturday Matinee	3:45 . . . . . Sagebrush Theater
4:00 . . . . . Johnny Jupiter	4:15 . . . . . Meet Millie
4:30 . . . . . Yesterday's Newsreel	4:45 . . . . . NBC News Review
5:00 . . . . . Jackie Gleason	5:15 . . . . . Two For The Money
5:30 . . . . . To Be Announced	5:45 . . . . . Medallion Theatre
6:00 . . . . . Saturday Night Wrestling	6:15 . . . . . Feature Theater

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## Tokyo Palace Crush Kills 17

TOKYO — Metropolitan police said Saturday night at least 17 persons were killed and 41 injured under the feet of a surging throng as hundreds of thousands of Japanese flocked to the Imperial Palace to wish Emperor Hirohito a happy New Year.

The newspaper Asahi estimated that 700,000 swarmed around the palace grounds in downtown Tokyo.

Police said the thousands of men, women and children, dressed in their holiday best, were caught in "terrible crushes" during the afternoon.

The crowds hoped to get a look at the Emperor and Empress who had appeared on a balcony seven times earlier in the day.

An unidentified American woman reportedly suffered minor bruises and was taken to a hospital for first aid treatment. Police said she was released immediately.

A Canadian officer at the scene said some of the victims were crushed so badly that bones protruded through the skin.

Kyodo News Agency said the vast throng got out of hand at about 3:30 p.m. (12:30 a.m. CST).

The crowd swarmed toward the gates of the palace grounds as police tried to bar the entrance at the deadline, Kyodo said.

Thousands who had not yet had a chance to sign the register tried to push through. Men, women and children fell under the feet of the onrushing crowd.

There was no immediate word on whether any Americans were among the dead and injured.

Before the war only titled Japanese were allowed to enter the palace grounds and sign the imperial register. Since the war, however, everyone has been welcome. Each year hundreds of thousands of Japanese have made it a custom to wish the Emperor well during the new year.

## Prominent British Politician Dies On French Steamship

LONDON — Lord Norwich, eminent British politician, diplomat and man of letters, died Friday aboard the French steamship Colombie off Vigo, Spain. He was 63.

Lord Norwich—who was Alfred Duff Cooper before he was raised to the peerage in 1952—collapsed in his cabin while on a cruise to Jamaica. His wife, society beauty and former actress Diana Manners, was with him when he died.

A member of Parliament for over 20 years, Lord Norwich served as minister of war and first lord of the Admiralty in prewar Conservative governments. He was minister of information in Prime Minister Churchill's war Cabinet from 1940 to 1943 and then was Britain's first postwar ambassador to France.

His political career is best remembered, however, for his resignation from Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain's Cabinet and bitter outburst against the 1938 Munich pact with Hitler. He quit as first lord of the Admiralty and devoted himself to an outspoken campaign against appeasement.

## Godfrey Troupe Visits Loneliest Air Force

NEW YORK — Arthur Godfrey and his troupe, and a party including Air Secretary Harold Talbott and Gen. Curtis LeMay, returned Friday by plane after a New Year's Eve spent at Thule Air Force Base in Greenland.

The group, which also included Mrs. Talbott, Mrs. Godfrey, and publisher William Randolph Hearst Jr., flew to the "loneliest air force base in the world" on Wednesday.

"It was a wonderful trip," Talbott said. "It was a wise thing from a morale standpoint and the men were pleased and diverted."



MEET THE "HOVER GIRL"—That would be Patricia Thomas of Menlo Park, Calif., so nominated because she "can make any general or private spin in his rotor tracks and enjoys hovering around the boys in a helicopter." Lucky instructor who's showing off the Hiller 23-B at Ft. Sill, Okla., is Capt. J. W. Maschmann.



GUESSING GAME—Here's a parlor game for those long winter evenings. This abandoned car, with its once-gay message, was found at the bottom of a small canyon in the Big Sur country, 30 miles south of Monterey, Calif. Of a model apparently dating from the late Twenties, the hulk has been there for some time, judging by the height of the shrub growing through the front floorboards. Let amateur scenario

writers give their answers to the questions it poses: Who were the presumably happy newlyweds? Where are they now? How did the car get there? Those small round holes, two between the "U" and the "S"; one on the crossbar of the "A"; another between the "R" and "I"—and three in a line below the word "MARRIED"—are they bullet holes? If so, who was the "heavy" who fired the shots?

## Theater Owners See Happy Days Ahead With New Depth Movies

By ESKINE JOHNSON  
HOLLYWOOD —(NEA)—The nation's theater owners are singing "Happy Days Are Here Again" over the New Look of Hollywood's movies.

Three dimensional "depthies," stereophonic sound and wide-screen films as of right now are luring moviegoers away from television, the competitive entertainment monster that caught movietown off-balance and unprepared.

"The Hollywood motion picture industry faces its greatest era as the world's top entertainment medium," says Robert J. O'Donnell of Texas, one of the nation's major exhibitors.

One of O'Donnell's theaters whose gross for a good week has been \$8500 jumped to over \$30,000, he says, for the first week's showing of a three dimensional film.

But there's no chorus in Hollywood of the "Happy Days" that theater owners are singing.

"Undecided" is the theme song of the major studios as they await the public's answer to three important questions:

1. Are three-dimensional movies THE answer to television's competition or are they just a

## Over 3,600 Missing American Soldiers Now Listed As Dead

WASHINGTON —More than 3,600 American soldiers and airmen missing in Korea for over a year now are officially listed as dead. The Army and Air Force so informed their next-of-kin by wire yesterday.

Thus, the toll of battle deaths in the Korean War has been raised to nearly 30,000.

The Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps still must make final disposition of over 3,800 cases of men now regarded as missing in action.

They will be so carried on casualty rolls until at least one year has passed without information that would indicate they may still be alive.

## Suicide Is Mystery

HASTINGS —Shannon Brisbin, 24, a Korean War veteran, shot himself to death New Year's Eve. Barry County Sheriff Clarence Donovan listed the death as suicide but could determine no motive. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brisbin, and friends said the youth had a job with a Battle Creek auto dealer and had showed no signs of despondency.

## Hyde

HYDE—Mrs. Louis Johnson entertained a few friends at her home Wednesday afternoon. Five hundred was played with Mrs. John Zawada high and Mrs. Leo Niquette, low. Lunch was served after the games.

## Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Ragnar Ogren are spending a week in Detroit with relatives. Harold Ogren, who is employed in Chicago spent the holidays at home.

Thomas Steingraeber of Milwaukee spent the New Year's holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Muther.

## Manlike Creatures With Fangs Sighted In Malayan Jungles

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaya —Police jungle squads in Perak State switched today from hunting Communist guerrillas to search for three hairy manlike creatures with fang-like teeth and wearing loin-cloths.

The three appeared for the first time on a rubber estate at Troiak and terrified Chinese and Malay workers who were tapping trees.

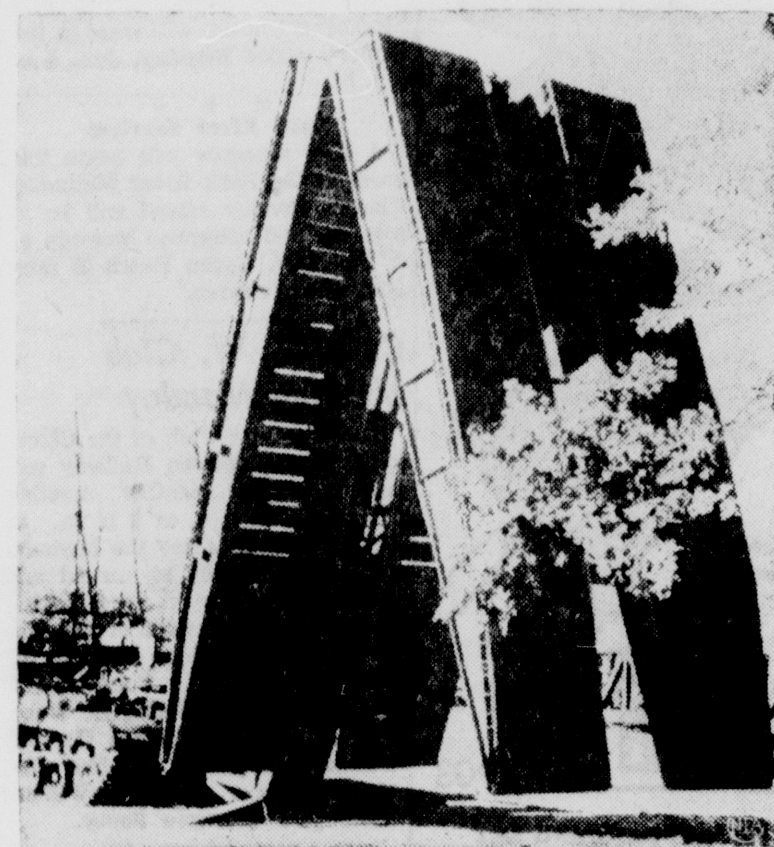
But G. M. Browne, manager of the estate, said the strange visitors did not appear unfriendly.

He discounted suggestions that they were Communist guerrillas in disguise or former Japanese soldiers who had been in the jungle for eight or nine years.

"The fang-like teeth is one point against either theory," he said.

## DEEP DIVERS

Whales can dive a mile below the surface and rise immediately without harm. A chemical adjustment of their blood eases for the variation in pressure.



SCISSORS BRIDGE — Believe it or not, this unusual-looking object is an experimental scissors-type bridge developed by Army engineers at Ft. Belvoir, Va., as an aid in short-gap crossings. Made of aluminum and hydraulically operated, the bridge can be carried and launched by a modified tank. In wartime, the bridge could be brought to a scene of action and set in place without exposing our soldiers to enemy fire.

## Texas Corporal Tells Of Daggers Wielded By Reds

(Continued From Page One)

a dream — a Christmas dream come true after three years. Batchelor refused to answer many questions concerning conditions inside the camp.

He said he did not want to incriminate any of the men remaining, but it appeared that he might have been following the advice of U.S. Army officers who have talked with him for hours since his return to the U.N. Command Friday.

## All Kinds of Books

Batchelor explained how he gradually picked up Communist doctrines.

"There were all kinds of study groups and bull sessions," he said. "They gave us all kinds of literature on Marxism, Communist ideology, the class struggle, political economy and American aggression. Some of the books were by Stalin."

Batchelor said he did a lot of reading.

"My mind was confused. Not all the Communist propaganda is wrong. They use a bit of truth or they could never convert anyone."

"I never thought of myself as a Communist so much as a peace fighter—I wanted to fight against war and American aggression."

But Batchelor said he never believed Communist charges that Americans used germ warfare and he said he no longer believes in communism or that America is an aggressor.

Batchelor described himself as a leader of the American prisoners, but acknowledged that other POWs who talked with Indian offi-

cers at the gate failed to pass on information.

## Answer To Prayers

This included the news that Cpl. Dickinson had returned to his home town in the United States and married, he said.

"The Chinese told us he had been prosecuted," Batchelor said. Batchelor told newsmen Saturday he was captured by Chinese Communists in November 1950. He said he was among 30 American infantrymen surrounded and without food on a North Korean hill.

In Kermit, Batchelor's parents planned a welcome home celebration for the son they have not seen for almost three years.

"I feel just like shouting," his mother said when she heard that he had asked to come home.

Only last week Mrs. Batchelor had said that only a miracle would bring her boy home.

"It's the answer to my prayers. I just thank God," she sighed.

## VULCANIZED ON WHEEL

During automobile races, where cars are driven at top speed over long periods of time, tire casings and tubes often become vulcanized solidly together.

## Spilled Gas Truck Holds Up Train With Michigan State Band

SAN FRANCISCO —Two passenger trains, one carrying the 120-member Michigan State College band to the East-West football game here, were halted for an hour early today when a butane gas truck overturned on a highway paralleling the Southern Pacific tracks.

Two sections of the Owl, enroute from Los Angeles to Oakland, were stopped just south of Pixley, 60 miles south of Fresno.

The highway patrol allowed the trains to proceed after hundreds of gallons of spilled gas were washed from the nearby road. Officers had feared a spark from the trains might have ignited the gas.

An SP spokesman said the Owl would reach Oakland this morning in plenty of time for the MSC band—which performed in the Rose Bowl Friday—to strut before this afternoon's East-West game.

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## Carnival

By Dick Turner



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Others Assets	2,519.82
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## Mrs. Saykly Maintains Holiday Traditions Of Her Native Syria

Mrs. Joseph Saykly, proprietor of Saykly's Confectionery, 1304 Ludington St., has maintained the many holiday traditions of her native country, Lebanon, formerly a section of Syria and passed them on to her children.

In keeping with the holiday season, the feast of Little Christmas or the feast of the Three Kings will be celebrated by the family Jan. 6. On this day, Mrs. Saykly prepares dishes resembling small pasties. These dishes are filled with three different types of fillings. Each member of the family wishes for one certain type and if that person selects the one with the filling he wished for, a good and prosperous new year is ahead for him. This custom is a favorite with all the Saykly family.

Mrs. Saykly stated that the Easter celebration in her home town is bigger than Christmas here. People begin fasting 12 hours before attending mass the eve of Easter. She claims that the faith in God of the people there is so strong that her grandmother and others like her prepared dough the night before Easter without the use of yeast and the next morning, the bread had risen.

### Nine Children In Family

Mrs. Saykly not only has maintained the many Syrian customs, but she has managed to carry on her husband's business, following his death in 1943, with the help of her children.

Of the nine children, seven daughters and two sons, four of them work at the store. Both sons, Freddie, who makes the candy, and Eddie, who makes the ice cream, and two of the daughters, Marge, who makes the chocolates, and Jo, help keep the business thriving. Four of the daughters are married and their main occupation is keeping house while the seventh daughter is a Notre Dame nun, Sr. Martha Jean. She is teaching at Green Bay.

The late Mr. Saykly came to this country at the beginning of this century with Charlie Frenn. When they first arrived here, they worked on the road. Their first enterprise was an open fruit stand on the corner of Ludington and 14th St., where they operated for three years. They then began a small store on the 300 block of Stephenson Ave. In 1906, Mr. Saykly went into business by himself in a building several doors away from its present location.

### Cones, Two for 5c

When he began his confectionery, ice cream, candy and fresh, fancy fruits, which were Mr. Saykly's pride, were the main products. Taffy, still being pulled by hand, and peanut brittle were the biggest sellers in the candy line, and vanilla, chocolate, strawberry and maple nut were the only ice cream flavors made. Incidentally, Saykly's was the only store in town selling ice cream cones two for 5c.

After remaining in the other store for 18 years, Mr. Saykly bought the West End Livery building, owned by McDonough, and proceeded to build his store there. A year after the store had been located at its present site, an upstairs flat was built, and the Saykly family has made its home there since that time.

At the age of 13, Mrs. Saykly came to this country with her brother, and they settled at Ishpeming. The journey from Syria to America will never be forgotten by Mrs. Saykly. She, her brother and others from their home town of Machghara, traveled on horseback for one day to the seaport of Beyrut, Syria where they boarded ship. They passed Alexandria, Egypt and sections of Italy where she saw a volcano flaming in the night. The boat stopped over at a French seaport for one day, then continued to Liverpool, England where it docked.

### Bilked By Schemer

At Liverpool, all passengers had to submit to physical examinations. Everyone had passed their examinations but Mrs. Saykly; the examiners told her that her eyesight was poor and she would have to wait for a later boat until another examination was taken. Mrs. Saykly did not want to stay alone in a foreign country so her brother remained with her. After the week was over, they had lost all their money through the clever scheming of the examiners, who had intentionally held them in England. Luckily, they still retained their passage tickets.

"Many people were tricked out of their money by people more



MRS. JOSEPH SAYKLY, proprietor of Saykly's Confectionery, is weighing some home-made candy, anise, for an eagerly waiting customer. (Daily Press Photo)

clever than they then," Mrs. Saykly stated.

The boat landed at Boston, and they sent word to another brother in Ishpeming to send them enough money for their journey across country. After arriving at Ishpeming, Mrs. Saykly made her home there for 12 years during which time she met Mr. Saykly. They were married June 1916 at St. Patrick's Church with Fr. Feldhaus officiating. All of the Saykly children were baptized at St. Patrick's.

"At the time of our marriage, a city block on Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, could be bought for a song," Mrs. Saykly said.

### Recalls Native City

Many pleasant memories of

Machghara, Lebanon are held by Mrs. Saykly. She remembers vividly the flour mill which her father owned and how she would take his dinner to him every day, a several miles walk. Flour mills, tanneries and grape and vegetable farms were the chief occupations of that part of the country.

In Mrs. Saykly's home town, the water supply came from springs under an immense rock. Since there was no electricity, this water generated all the power for the mills and tanneries. Charcoal was used for heat.

The village, located in a valley three or four miles from a mountain, was subject to three months of winter. Although the snowfalls were heavy, the next day it

would be all melted because of the warm climate. Mrs. Saykly never saw an icicle there.

The father of Mrs. Saykly still is living. He remained at Lebanon and is now 95 years old. She also has two sisters still there. Two of her brothers are living at Sao Paulo, Brazil, South America and two brothers and one sister at Sunnyvale, Calif. One brother, who passed away was a priest in the old country.

"We would like our mother to return to Lebanon for a visit, but she doesn't want to fly or go on another boat trip," Freddie said.

Whether Mrs. Saykly ever returns to her homeland or not she will always retain memories of her native land.

## Wise Mothers Remain In Background While Chaperoning Children's Parties

By KAY SHERWOOD

Part of the art of homemaking is playing the successful hostess, not only to our adult guests but also to our children's pals.

At our big-folks parties, we arrange the guest list, food and decorations to suit ourselves. But it calls for special talent to be a tactful hostess when the kids have their day.

Especially, I think, is this true in the pre-teen age, when youngsters want to emerge from the safe cocoon of mother-managed parties, but haven't acquired the social know-how of the late teens.

A recent chat I had with Lucile Rosenheim, author of juvenile novels and a sensible new booklet for kids called, "Let's Give a Party," pointed out ways parents can contribute to the fun of the event. Mrs. Rosenheim, who has a brisk, humorous approach, is unofficial party consultant for youngsters and their moms in her town and speaks from experience.

When I checked our conversation with some of my pre-teen pals, these points were considered most important:

1. Give the youngster a clear-cut budget to work with. A party needn't cost much if it's well planned, but there should be food and prizes no matter how modest.

2. Let her determine the guest list. Remind her only of social debts she should repay. The size of her budget will automatically limit the list. And don't use your child's party to further your own social ambitions.

3. Slick up the house (with her help) as you would for your own party. But remove any breakable or treasured orna-

ments as possible. It's embarrassing to a little guest and with a firm hand to avoid a contagious chain reaction. A party can disintegrate rapidly if the rowdy takes over.

4. Put a time limit on the party. Two and a half hours is the maximum you can expect frisky kids to party without getting out of hand.

5. Consult with the junior hostess on the games to be played. Most games take about 10 or 15 minutes. There should be some active, some quiet ones. Have six or seven games ready. If your game list is rusty, check books in the school or public library, teachers or counselors in young people's groups.

6. Greet the guests, then be as unobtrusive as possible. Move in and out of the room. Help get a game going, if necessary, but don't be an obvious chaperone.

7. Keep an eye out for the

smart-aleck. Handle the wild show-off quickly and with a firm hand to avoid a contagious chain reaction. A party can disintegrate rapidly if the rowdy takes over.

8. If you see cliques forming, start a game where it's natural to pull them into the larger group — games that involve choosing teams or finding partners.

9. Don't assume your adult friends will be welcome guests at the children's party unless the young host or hostess needs their help and suggests they come.

10. When you lend a hand with the cleaning up, avoid unflattering comments on the mess in the living room, the grubbiness. Just assure your child that it was a howling success and that everybody had a marvelous time.



Simple parties are fun for the youngsters and good experience in social relations.

## State Police Polygraph Gives Aid To Law Enforcement In Upper Peninsula

By KENNETH S. LOWE

MARQUETTE—A trio of dancing needles that tell tales in red ink are helping law enforcement officers throughout the Upper Peninsula.

The needles are the recording apparatus of a machine officially known as the Keeler Polygraph but more commonly referred to as the lie detector. The trails they leave in red ink may spell the difference between clearing a man's name or sending him to prison.

The polygraph, only instrument of its kind in the Upper Peninsula, was installed in the state police district headquarters here last September. It was immediately made available for use in criminal cases by city police anywhere in the Upper Peninsula, sheriff's departments, prosecuting attorneys, parole and probation officers, conservation officers and all other local, state and federal law enforcement officers above the Straits.

### Machine Is Portable

After taking a special course of instruction in Lansing, State Police Detective George Strong, Marquette, was placed in charge of the polygraph. He now conducts all tests made on the machine. Since last September he has administered 75 tests on 31 persons in 18 criminal cases from practically every corner of the Upper Peninsula, proving that even in his short career here the polygraph has found extensive usage. The machine is portable and may be used anywhere in the Northern Peninsula whenever conditions warrant bringing the machine to the suspect instead of vice versa.

The polygraph here is one of four employed by the state police in Michigan, the others being located in Lansing, Detroit and Paw Paw. In addition, two city police forces—in Detroit and in Flint—maintain polygraphs.

"Our polygraph already has demonstrated its immense value in crime detection," said Captain Leo Van Conant, Marquette, eighth state police district commander. "Probably its greatest contribution in our work lies in its time-saving factor. By quickly indicating who is guilty and who is innocent, the lie detector permits law enforcement agencies to make great savings in time and expense."

### Protects Innocent

Det. Strong, who conducts investigations in addition to his work as polygraph examiner, remarked that the machine is extremely valuable in protecting the innocent.

Although no suspect can be forced to take the polygraph test against his will, the innocent undergo the test gladly and the guilty often agree to take the examination because they feel, and rightly so, that they will be casting the shadow of doubt over themselves by refusing to submit to the test.

How does the polygraph function? Basically, it measures three physical processes — breathing rate, blood pressure and perspiration rate—in their reaction to mental stimuli.

A pneumograph tube of rubber fits around the chest of the person being examined. This operates on a vacuum principle to measure the rate of breathing. A blood pressure cuff is fastened around the arm. A galvanometer for measuring skin resistance is attached to the hand.

### Delicate Instrument

Each of these devices simultaneously records changes in physical processes. For instance, when a person is telling a falsehood one bodily process causes the pores to open and makes perspiration flow more freely which, in turn, renders the skin less resistant to electricity, a phenomenon that is recorded accurately by the galvanometer.

These reactions of the lungs, heart and skin are transmitted through the machine to the inked needles which trace the responses on a continuously rolling sheet of graph paper.

Before the lie detector test is administered, however, several preparatory steps are taken. The examiner first obtains a history of the case. From the investigating officer he may decide on pertinent questions. Then an examination form is filled out for purposes of record. It has blanks for entering the suspect's age, birthplace and other information, and may serve as the basis for other pertinent questions to be asked during the examination. Finally, the examiner writes down in advance the questions he intends to ask the suspect during the test.

### Encourages Confessions

The suspect is brought to a comfortably appointed room, on the second floor of the headquarters building. The room is decorated in warm colors and is pleasantly furnished in order to help put the suspect at ease, which is essential in conducting an accurate test. In other words, a deliberate attempt is made to get away from the traditionally cold atmos-



State Police Detective George Strong (right), Marquette, administers polygraph test at eighth district state police headquarters in Marquette. Note galvanometer on "suspect's" left hand, blood pressure cuff on right arm and pneumograph tube around chest. Reactions are recorded on roll of graph paper. Posing as "suspect" is Detective Leonard Bartell, Marquette. (Marquette Mining Journal Photo by Lou Armstrong.)

phere of most police rooms.

Det. Strong then explains the operation of the polygraph to the suspect prior to administration of the test. If he believes the person to be guilty, he endeavors to talk him into confessing, and a surprising number of confessions are made in the polygraph room before the subject has even undergone the test. In fact, Det. Strong believes the pre-test interrogation method is probably more important than the technique employed in operating the machine, insofar as obtaining confessions is concerned.

If the test indicates the suspect actually is guilty despite his denials of guilt, Det. Strong shows him the graphs and explains just how the machine pointed up lies in response to various questions. Confronted with this evidence, the suspect often finally breaks down and admits to the crime.

### Aid to Law Enforcement

Some people can "beat" the machine, but as one state police officer pointed out, they are all abnormal persons — "morons, criminal liars, extremely emotional or completely unemotional."

The graphs and findings of the polygraph may be admitted as testimony in a trial only upon the agreement of attorneys for both sides. However, the examiner may be called to testify on conversations he had with the suspect before and after administration of the test.

Det. Strong pointed out that man, through the ages, has been attempting to devise some means of determining if people are telling the truth. The ancient Chinese, he said, forced suspects to chew rice powder on the theory that if the suspect were guilty his mouth would be dry and the chewed powder moistureless.

Now, the polygraph seems to have furnished a highly accurate means of measuring the truth or falsity of what a normal person is saying. As a member of the state police detective force once put it, the polygraph "is not the final answer to the problems of law enforcement, but it is a great help in sifting the wheat from the chaff."

## Rock Youth Says That It's True: Join The Navy And See The World

ROCK — Boiler tender 3/c Martin Kulju who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kulju on a 30 day leave, has traveled many miles through the Orient since joining the U. S. Navy three years ago.

He graduated from the Rock High School in 1950 and joined the Navy the following January. Since then he has sailed the Pacific twice to Japan and three times to Hawaii. Among cities he has visited are Tokyo, Osaka, Manila, Hong Kong, Honolulu and many others which are only names to most Americans. He has traveled completely around the island of Japan and has many colored slides to show of his travels.

His ship, the U. S. S. Eldorado, is a flagship of the Amphibious Group One, which means that it carries the officers in charge of the operations.

A brief sketch of his last trip is something like this:

Beginning on Jan. 5 from North Island Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif., the home base, he covered approximately 30,000 miles in about 11 months through the Orient.

### Dance Without Shoes

The first stop was in Hawaii. Yokosuka Naval Base at Japan was the next stop and also a stop for many times as it was their home base while in the Orient.

For the boys on their first trip to Japan, it is a strange experience. They learn to take off their shoes before entering a house. Even dancing is done in stocking feet. They learn to sit on the floor instead of on chairs, though now the tables have short legs in many places under which one may slide his feet, possibly because the Americans just cannot learn to sit cross-legged as long as the Japanese can.

They do not hear the jingle of money in their pocket because their money gets changed to military script and Japanese yen. The traffic is opposite from ours and as the boys step off the curb looking "our" way, a mass of traffic bears down from the other way.

There are cars, buses, jeeps, taxis and the "riksha" boys who will take anyone anywhere with their light cart, all in "Five Minutes, Joe."

The next stop was Pusan Harbor in Korea where they saw Vice Admiral Sohn Won 11, the only Admiral in the Korean Navy, when came aboard to visit the Admiral on the U. S. S. Eldorado.

They then sailed around Korea to the bombed out city of Inchon. The Korean women learn to carry things on their head while very young. Martin said he watched one Korean girl of about five carry a large bowl of water up a



Martin Kulju

long ladder without spilling a drop. In fact, he had a picture taken of her as she reached the top of the ladder.

After touching various other ports, they docked at Osaka, Japan. This is one of the ten largest cities in the world and second largest in Japan.

Visited Okinawa. They stopped in Okinawa, the hot and lonely American occupied island. At Nagoya, Japan, there are many boy artists who sit on the dock and paint watercolor pictures of the many ships that come and go.

The cemeteries in Japan are very beautiful. In fact they do not look like cemeteries, they seem to be huge parks or flower gardens.

Fourth of July was spent in Saseba, Japan.

During August and September they were part of the task force of 90 ships, with the U. S. Eldorado being the flagship that directed the Operation Big Switch when for nine weeks about 100,000 POWs were transported to Inchon for repatriation at nearby Munsan.

After this task was completed, they headed for Manila in the Philippines. They found this city a mixture of people and things, both Oriental and Occidental. There were old fashioned horse drawn vehicles and modern cars, jeeps and buses. Some of the

buildings were very modern, some were very old. The people and their customs are very much Spanish because the Philippines were under the Spanish rule for 400 years. After 50 years of American rule they have gained their independence.

Stop At Hong Kong. The British Crown Colony of Hong King in China is another interesting stop. This is an international city which may be very dangerous if one ventures into the dark alleys. Many of the buildings are very modern, yet one may find the old China most anywhere.

The mode of the day there is the very provocative style narrow skirt the women wear which has a slit on either side to about six inches above the knee.

It is not too hard to get around because in most of the countries most signs are in the English language as well as the language of the country. Coca Cola seems to be advertised no matter what the country.

After trips to other towns and more trips to Japan, the ship finally sailed for home, arriving in San Diego the first part of December. He brought back a beautiful set of dishes, service for eight, for his mother from Japan.

Martin has to report back for duty at San Diego by Jan. 9. He has one more year to serve of his four year enlistment.



## Osier Resident Is Found Dead

Harvey Nephew, 57, was found dead at his home at Osier Friday. He had been dead about 24 hours or more when found by a snow plow operator who stopped at the home.

Coroner Otto S. Hult M. D., said death was due to a heart attack.

Nephew was born May 28, 1896 at Rapid River and had been a lifelong resident of this county. He was a veteran of World War I, having enlisted in the Army in Sept. 1918. He was assigned to Camp Custer where he was in the infantry.

Nephew has been employed by the Northwestern Plywood and Veneer Corp.

Surviving are two sisters and 3 brothers: namely, Mrs. Dewey (Cora) Miller, Marion, Ind.; Mrs. Lester (Elda) Noel, Wells; Clem Nephew of Osier, Albert of Spokane, Wash., and Norman of Livingston, Mich.

The body was removed to the Skradski Funeral Home where friends may call after noon on Sunday. Funeral services are tentatively set for Monday.

## Funeral Services Monday Morning For Oliver Paquin

Funeral services for Oliver Paquin, 66, Stonington, are to be held Monday morning at 10 at the Mission Catholic Church at Indian Point near Nahma. Burial will be in the Indian Point cemetery.

Friends may call at the Skradski Funeral Home beginning Sunday noon. The Rosary will be recited Sunday night at 8 at the funeral home.

The lifeless body of Paquin was found about 9 a. m., Thursday, in an outbuilding near his home at Stonington, a gun wound in the head. Earlier he had taken a 16-gauge shotgun and left his home telling wife he was going hunting.

Paquin was born January 21, 1887 at Naubinway.

He is survived by his widow, Lizzie, stepchildren Mrs. Irene Wiedbrauk, Mrs. Katherine Nelson and Carl Stone, all of Stonington; two sisters, Mrs. Susan Carrother, Sault Ste. Marie; Mrs. Mary O'Neil, Gilchrist, and Mose Paquin, Sault Ste. Marie.

## Baptist Church In Observance Of Prayer Week

Prayer Week will be observed by the First Baptist congregation this coming week with a series of four meetings to be held in homes of parishioners scheduled for Tuesday through Friday at 7:30 each evening.

Homes in which the meetings are to be held will be announced later.

## City Briefs

Mrs. Walter Tang has been dismissed from St. Francis hospital and is convalescing at her home. Mrs. Fred Siebert left today for Chicago on a buying trip. She will visit while there with her son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. Carl Wussow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hill of Iron Mountain were Sunday visitors at the Richard Schram home, Lake Shore Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Norby returned this morning to Kalama-zoo after a two week vacation with relatives here and in Escanaba.

## Youth Rally At Norway Saturday

A Youth Rally will be held in Norway at St. Paul's Methodist Church Saturday evening at 6:30, it is learned from Rev. Meldon Crawford, pastor of Memorial Methodist church.

A delegation of 15 persons from Memorial Methodist Church will be in attendance.

## PRIZE IN REVERSE

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va. (P)—The delegate to the convention of National Assn. of Travel Organizations who comes up with the best idea for increasing West Virginia's tourist trade will receive a prize from the state's Industrial and Publicity Commission.

The prize: a four week's vacation in Florida.

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# GLADSTONE



## Death Claims Old Resident

William Besson, 84, longtime, well-known resident of Gladstone, died Thursday night at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Frank Amond, Frankfort, Mich., with whom he made his home for several years.

The deceased is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Frank (Jeannie) Amond of Frankfort, Mich.; Mrs. Jan (Marie) Stachowis and Miss Joanne, Long Island, N. Y., and William Jr., of Saginaw.

The body was removed to the Skradski Funeral Home where friends may call beginning Monday. The Rosary will be recited Monday night at 8 at the Skradski Funeral Home. Funeral services will be conducted by Father Matt LaViolette, Tuesday morning at 9. Burial will be made in Fernwood cemetery.

## Briefly Told

**BRT Meeting**—A regular meeting of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will be held Sunday morning at 9:30 at the Eagles hall.

**Traffic Ticket**—Kenneth Thompson, 148 N. 5th St., Manistique, was ticketed Wednesday by City Police on a charge of excessive speed.

**Minneapolis Chapter**—A regular meeting of Minneapolis Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will be held Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 8 p. m. Officers of the Chapter will meet at 7:15 p. m. for practice.

**BRT Auxiliary**—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will meet Monday evening at 8 at the home of Mrs. Pat Cannon, 1309 Michigan Ave. Assisting Mrs. Cannon on the committee are Mrs. Gilbert Lasky and Mrs. Leslie Davis.

**Youth Fellowship**—A Youth Fellowship meeting will be held at the Memorial Methodist church Sunday evening at 7. Shirley Barber will be worship leader. An illustrated lecture entitled "Meeting Kingdom Need in Chili" by Dr. Glenn Frye, Detroit, will be presented.

After stories appeared on the meeting, the city attorney called and advised Mgr. Hemricksen that his ruling on the matter had been misunderstood and that it would be illegal for the commission to vote a contribution.

A sum of \$50,000 was asked by the Hospital Authority from the City.

## Electorate Must Vote Donation For Hospital

Any contribution from the City of Gladstone to the Community Hospital Fund will have to be voted by the electorate of the city, Clyde McGonagle, city attorney, has advised City Manager H. J. Hemricksen.

At last Monday night's meeting

of the City Commission, Manager Hemricksen told the commission the commission that it was his understanding that City Atty. McGonagle had checked on the law and found it legal for the commission to make a donation to the Hospital Fund.

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## Church Services

**All Saints' Catholic**—Sunday Low mass at 8. High mass, 10 a. m. Novena services Wednesday evening, at 7:30. Confessions Saturday 3 to 4:30 in the afternoon and 7 to 8:30 in the evening.—Rev. Fr. Matt LaViolette, pastor.

**Free Methodist**—Sunday School, at 10. Morning worship at 11. Evening service, 7:30.—Rev. Fred W. Knecht, pastor.

**Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**—Church school at 10 a. m. Communion service at 11 a. m. Slide, 7:30.—Elder Rex Stowe, pastor.

**Bethel Evangelical Free**. Sunday school 9:45. Communion service, 10:45. New members will be received at morning worship. Junior church, 10:45. Young People, 6:30. Evening service, 7:30. Dedication of new hymnals at evening service.—Rev. Oscar Leander, pastor.

**First Baptist**—Sunday school, 10. Junior church 11. Morning worship, 11. Young People, 6:15. Pre-Prayer Groups, 7:15. Evening Service, 7:30. Sermon topic: "Recessional and Processional." Special music and song.—Rev. K. J. Samuelson.

**Memorial Methodist**—Sunday School at 9:30. Nursery school, at 10:45. Worship Service, 10:45 a. m. Sermon theme: In Remembrance of Me. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.—Rev. Meldon Crawford, pastor.

**Trinity Episcopal**—Morning Prayer and sermon at 9 a. m.—The Very Rev. Joseph S. Dickson, Rector.

## Says Criticism Is Unwarranted

Chief of Police Torval Kaller-son said Thursday that censure of the police department in connection with parking tickets was unwarranted. He said that tickets are not issued persons parking autos nights on the boulevard strip and that in cases where the driver has parked his auto facing in the wrong direction only warning tickets have been given.

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By Leslie Turner



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## The Story of Martha Wayne

By Wilson Scruggs



## Boots and Her Buddies

By Edgar Martin



## Mark Trail

By Ed Dodd





# MANISTIQUE

## Golden Gloves Training Starts Here Wednesday

Training for the Golden Gloves Boxing Tournament to be held in Escanaba Feb. 1-2 will begin Wednesday evening at 7 p. m., at St. Francis de Sales school hall. Father George Pernaski announced today.

All local youths, age 15 and up, interested in boxing are invited to report for the initial workout.

Boxers will be trained by Ed Toyra, who trained and coached Harvard Lancour, 1953 open division featherweight champion of Upper Michigan and Northern Wisconsin, who was the only U. P. representative in the Chicago Tournament of Champs. In 1952, Lancour held the novice division championship in the lightweight class and had a record of 12 vic-

tories and one defeat. Regular training sessions will be held each Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evening, beginning at 7 p. m.

The weight classifications for the two divisions, novice and open, are as follows: Flyweight, 113-pound maximum; bantamweight, 119-pound maximum; featherweight, 127-pound maximum; lightweight, 136-pound maximum; welterweight, 148-pound maximum; middleweight, 161-pound maximum; light-heavyweight, 176-pound maximum; and heavyweight, 177 pound and up.

## Choral Club Preparing For Escanaba Concert

Members of the 70-voice Manistique Choral Club now are preparing for their appearance in Bethany Lutheran church in Escanaba Jan. 10 and will meet at 7:30 p. m., Monday night in Zion Lutheran Church for a rehearsal with organist Robert Kee of Gladstone.

All members of the choir are asked to be at the rehearsal Monday night.

Mrs. James H. Fyvie of Manistique, former student of Robert Cassadeus in France, is director of the choral group, which will sing groups of choruses during its appearance in Escanaba.

Mr. Kee will present the organ concert, on the new pipe organ installed last year at the Escanaba church.

The Choral club, organized since 1946, recently presented Handel's "Messiah" here as a Christmas gift to the community.

## Former Residents Have Reunion In Lodi, California

Most of us would travel quite a distance to be home for Christmas, but Paul Blackwell, former Manistique resident working in Anchorage, Alaska, this year set quite a record.

He drove a truck the 3,000-mile distance from Anchorage to Lodi, Calif., to be home for Christmas, and then drove the truck back to Anchorage.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blackwell, who moved to California from Manistique a few years ago, held a Manistique reunion at their home Christmas Day and their son was there for it.

Other former Manistique residents who were at the Blackwell reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bean of San Francisco and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Voisine of Manistique, who are Mrs. Bean's parents; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mattson, Horace Mattson and Miss Elizabeth Falk of Minneapolis; and the Misses Myrtle Nelson and Elizabeth Shinar of Pacific, Calif.

## School Classes Begin Monday

School children in Schoolcraft County Monday will don their newest winter clothing and start back to school after a two-week holiday vacation.

Both the public schools and St. Francis de Sales school in the city and rural schools in township districts resume classes Monday, Jan. 4.

Schools throughout the area dismissed classes Dec. 18 for the holidays.

## Briefly Told

**Ida Chapter** — Ida Chapter No. 54, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet tonight at 8:15 in the Masonic Temple.

**Goodwill Club** — The Goodwill Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Arthur Graham Thursday Jan. 7. Mrs. Al Verschure will be the assisting hostess.

**Christmas Trees** — Residents are requested to have their Christmas trees placed near the streets Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 4 and 5 for the annual city pick-up. O. E. Livermore, acting city manager, noted today.

**At Munising** — Prosecuting Atty. William J. Sheahan, Atty. George Woods and C. Leslie Bouschor, county clerk, were among Manistique persons attending installation ceremonies for Circuit Judge W. Nebel in Munising Wednesday.

**Fire Call** — City firemen were called at 10:20 a. m., Thursday to the Arvid Nelson residence, 201 Pearl Street, when a washing machine motor burned out. Damage was confined to the machine. The call was the 66th answered in the city this year by the fire department.

**Farther Lights** — The Farther Lights Society of the First Baptist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. William Turpin, 522 Park Ave., at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 5. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Ed Ekdahl, Mrs. Nina Stone and Mrs. Viva Hamill. Miss Winnifred Orr will be in charge of the White Cross workshop. A good attendance is desired.

If you were looking at the earth from the moon, the earth would appear about four times the size of the familiar full moon.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Sangraw, N. 4th St. are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Marcella, to Tim Roddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ovilla Bellville, Garden Ave. No date has been set for the wedding. (Linderth Photo)

## Church Entertains Choir At Holiday Party Wednesday

The annual party given by St. Francis de Sales Church for members of its senior choir was held Wednesday evening at the Ossawinamakee Hotel.

Chef for the dinner party was Mrs. Emma Fountain, assisted by Mesdames Mary Rozich and Katherine Klempf.

Ferd Gorsche, director of the choir, was master of ceremonies and led group singing. Solos on the program were sung by J. Earl Cousineau, Mrs. George Patrick, Shirley Rozich, R. N., and Miss Corinne Bernier, and a duet was sung by Helen and Loretta Charon. Mrs. Ray LaMarche played the electric organ.

Gifts were presented by the choir to Fathers F. M. Scheringer and George Pernaski, and both spoke briefly afterwards.

Twenty-five choir members were present.

Some Norwegian motorships now carry figureheads of metal like the wooden figure-heads formerly carried by sailing ships.



**TO EUROPE** — Pvt. George E. Marks, who spent a 23-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marks, 140 N. Houghton Ave., left New Year's night for Camp Kilmer, N. J., where he will be assigned to duty in Europe. Private Marks entered service July 14, 1953 and completed basic training at Fort Riley, Kan., Dec. 5. He will fly from Chicago to New Jersey.

## Social

**Birthday Party** — Dennis James Hewitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Hewitt, 608 Park Ave., celebrated his 5th birthday anniversary recently with a party at his home.

During the afternoon games were played, after which lunch was served from a table centered with a red and green decorated cake. Other decorations were in the Christmas motif. Each guest attending was given a favor.

Those attending were Donna Shampine, Jimmy and Joey Wood and Dennis' brothers, Bobbie and David.

## Church Services

**Church of the Redeemer, Presbyterian**—Church school 9 a. m. Worship service 10 a. m. Sermon: "Overcoming Obstacles" by Rev. A. Barton Brown, Wednesday: 8 p. m. combined meeting of Women's Association.

**St. Francis de Sales**—Sundays: 6 a. m. mass in the School Chapel, 8, 10 and 11:30 masses in the Oak Theater. Daily: Mass at 8 in the School Chapel. Confessions before mass. Confessions on Saturdays in the School Chapel at 4 and 7 p. m. Sorrowful Mother Novena Fridays in the chapel. Holy Day masses: 6 a. m. in School Chapel; 8 and 11:30 a. m. in Oak Theater. —F. M. Scheringer, pastor, George Pernaski, assistant pastor.

**First Baptist**—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Worship service 11 a. m. Sermon: "Overcoming Obstacles." BYF meeting, 6:30 p. m. Evening Gospel service 7:30 p. m. Sermon: "A Sign-Seeking Generation, Tuesday: 8 p. m. Farther Lights Society, Wednesday: 2 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday: 7:15 p. m. Choir practice. —A. Barton Brown, pastor.

**First Methodist**—Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Worship service 11 a. m. Sermon: "Behold, I Create All Things New." Tuesday: 7:30 p. m. Prayer Circle. —Edgar M. Smith, pastor.

**St. Alban's Episcopal**—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m.

**Zion Lutheran**—Worship service at 9 a. m. with Rev. Wilbert Johnson, of Rapid River in charge. Sunday school at 10:15 a. m.

**Bethel Baptist**—Sunday School

## Repair Of Ski Tow Underway

The ski tow in Manistique is being re-activated and should be ready for use Sunday night or Monday afternoon, Thor Reque, city recreation director, said today.

Foundations for the power house had been damaged by erosion, Reque said, and new fill now is being placed around the power house. Transformers for the tow are being loaned and installed.

stalled by the Edison Soo Electric company through Fred Williams, manager; and city crews will install rope.

The hill in the park, near the quarry, is in good condition and is covered with much snow, the recreation director stated.

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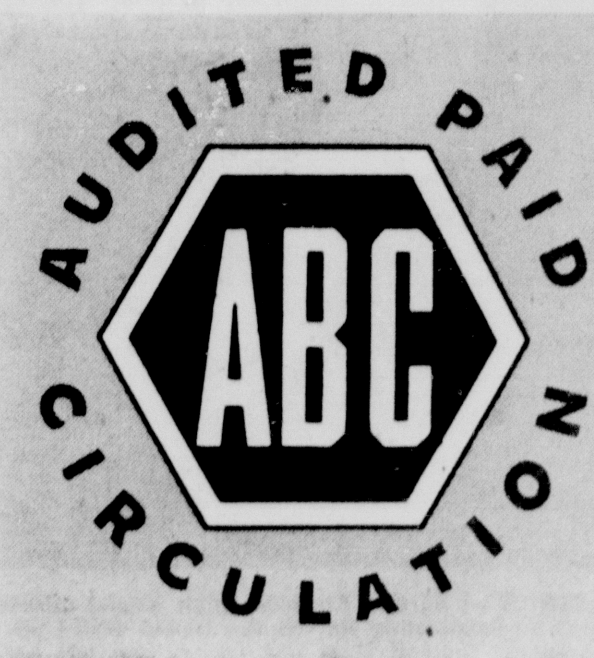
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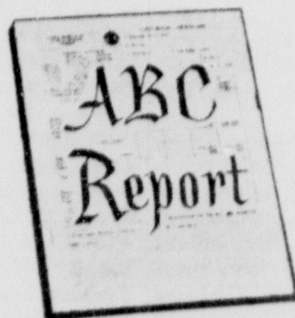
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## ACCORDION LESSONS

Manley Anderson, of the Delta Music Center, Escanaba, will not give accordion lessons in Manistique during the winter.

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## The Little Things

"Big oaks from little acorns grow" has been an adage every schoolboy learns, and one that has been a guide for many a wise person.

As this New Year dawns bright and clear, let's resolve to do each little thing a little bit better, every day this year.

It's surprising what wonderful results even a little smile, a little extra effort, a little more kindness will bring.

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Side Glances

By Galbraith



"Yes, he writes for all the dope he can get on helicopters, but we've still got a wood-burning cookstove!"



# Hawks Will Play Here On Sunday

The first Sunday afternoon hockey game of the season will be played here tomorrow with the Marquette Sentinels facing the Escanaba Hawks at 2:30 on the fairgrounds rink.

The game is a makeup of the Dec. 9 contest which was postponed because of lack of ice.

Still seeking their initial win of the season, the Hawks will again be at full strength for Marquette. "We'll have the same lineup as we used against Marquette Wednesday night," Coach Mark Olson stated today.

Fans were favorably impressed with the showing of the Hawks in their last start which they lost 4-3. After spotting the Sentinels a pair of quick goals in the first period, the Hawks came back to outplay their foes in the final two periods.

Three lines will be going for the Hawks, with Mark and Ted Olson and Burt Petaja on the first line, Joe Ricci, Bud Provo

## Sympathy For Bench Tackler

DALLAS, Tex. (P) — Alabama's Tommy Lewis may have added a new one for the book of blunders Friday with his 12th man tackle in the Cotton Bowl but he has lots of sympathy.

"I feel sorrier for him than I can say," said Rice's Dicky Moegle, who was spilled in the midst of an obvious touchdown run by Lewis' bruising tackle straight from the Crimson bench.

There were some boos immediately following the incident but when Lewis came back in a few plays later the crowded stadium applauded as he and Moegle shook hands.

"I'm too emotional," Lewis said. "I know I'll be hearing about this the rest of my life."

And he probably was right since grid fans were immediately reminded of the 64-yard wrong way Roy Riegels run in the 1929 Rose Bowl. The California center grabbed a Georgia Tech fumble and was saved from scoring for his foes only by a teammate's tackle on the one yard line.

## East Is Favored In Shrine Game Today

SAN FRANCISCO (P) — With the ruckus of other post-season games fading, the grid stars of 29 universities take the spotlight today for what has been called "Football's Finest Hour"—the 29th East-West game.

An overflow crowd of 63,000 at Kezar Stadium here and additional millions over nationwide television and radio hookups, will view the game played for the benefit of the Shrine Crippled Children's Hospital.

The East, coached by Ray Eliot of Illinois, was rated 6½ point favorite.

The kickoff was set for 3:30 p. m. CST.

## Beaten Coach Calls Texas Tech Great

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — "I knew Texas Tech was good, but I didn't know they were great!"

With that comment Auburn's Coach Ralph (Shug) Jordan told the story of the Tech Red Raiders 35-13 victory over his Tigers in the ninth annual Gator Bowl football game Friday.

"In Tech we played the best team we played all year—including Georgia Tech and Alabama," Jordan declared.

Trailing 13-7 at halftime, Texas Tech completely changed the complexion with a 53-yard touchdown pass and a blocked punt early in the third quarter.

## Football

(By The Associated Press)  
Rose at Pasadena, Calif.  
Michigan State 28, UCLA 20  
Orange at Miami, Fla.  
Oklahoma 7, Maryland 0  
Sugar at New Orleans  
Georgia Tech 42, West Virginia 19

Cotton at Dallas  
Rice at Jacksonville, Fla.  
Texas Tech 35, Auburn 13  
Rice at Tokyo  
Marine (Camp Fisher) 19  
Airforce (Nagoya) 18  
Cigar at Tampa  
LaCrosse (Wis.) Teachers 12  
Missouri Valley 12 (tie)  
Salad at Phoenix  
Fort Ord 67, Great Lakes 12  
Prairie View, Tex.  
Prairie View 33, Texas Southern 8  
Tangerine at Orlando, Fla.  
East Texas 7, Arkansas State 7 (tie).

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## Sports Roundup

College basketball is doomed at Madison Square Garden because there isn't a top-flight varsity quintet in New York . . . And not the prospect of one in the foreseeable future because schools from throughout the country, and especially in North Carolina, are reaching into the Big Town for the premier prep talent . . .

One choice for the finest exponent of the jump shot is Minnesota's Chuck Mencil . . . There's a theory that the jump shot, supposed to be the salvation of the little man in basketball, actually ruins them for pro ball because they can't get it off against the big men and never have learned to pop long shots from the outside . . . Whitey Skoog of the Minneapolis Lakers is an illustration . . .

The greatest shooter playing basketball is Bill Sharman of the Boston Celtics . . . Sharman was good enough to bat .299 in Triple A baseball and, despite announced retirement from the diamond, intends to make one more whirl for majors . . .

The top center in the south, Dick Henric of Wake Forest, was tabbed by assistant coach Harry Lancaster of Kentucky "the best visiting player ever to appear in the Coliseum here" . . . Duquesne's flashy Negro quartet of Dick Ricketts, Jim Tucker, Si Green and Fletcher Johnson has Pittsburghers calling the Dukes the Harlem Globetrotters of college basketball . . .

Full of pathos is the story of Ralph Beard, a nice kid who got himself enmeshed in the fix scandals and expelled from the National Basketball Association . . . He's still working out faithfully after two years in the hope of getting reinstated . . .

Bob Bronzan of San Jose State tells of visiting a coaching friend confined to a mental institution. There they watched another former coach playing a game of football with himself. He'd go into a solo huddle, hustle to the line of scrimmage, center the imaginary ball back to himself, fade to pass and finally catch the ball as he was tackled by a ghost player . . .

The friend told Bronzan he went out daily and watched the proceedings . . . "That guy will beat



Bill Sharman

me unless I scout him every day," he said . . .

Mrs. Frank Sedgman, wife of the tennis pro, is expecting a little Aussie and will not accompany her husband on the Jack Kramer tour . . . The best all-around end in football has to be Jim Doran of Detroit, who caught the pass that won the second straight championship for the Lions . . . Last year playing only defense, he was voted the most valuable player on the team by his mates . . . This season he supplanted Leon Hart on offense . . .

Jack Kramer reveals his buddy, Otto Graham, was suffering from a case of badly chapped hands when his passing failed so miserably in the championship game against the Detroit Lions . . .

Why can't Hal Newhouse, a Detroit faithful for 15 years, get a job, any kind of a job within the Tiger organization? . . . The sleeper on the Boston Red Sox, and the reason they weren't loathe to part with Tom Umpflett, is Karl Olson, the California swatter who returned from service last summer but wasn't in shape . . . Which will give the Red Sox outfield an Olson and Jensen . . .

The loneliest place in the world is a crowd filling out of a sports arena in which you don't know anyone . . .

## Fan Fare



By Walt Ditzen

## Favored Maryland Tastes 7-0 Orange Bowl Defeat

NEW YORK (P)—Oklahoma and Michigan State boasted impressive victories today over two of the nation's leading defensive teams, national champion Maryland and UCLA.

Oklahoma, ranked No. 4, defeated the one-touchdown favorite Terps 7-0 in the Orange Bowl for the only form reversal Friday. The Spartans, No. 3, put on a scorching second-half drive to come from behind and give the Big Ten its seventh victory in eight Rose Bowl past appearances, 28-20, over UCLA.

But the day's oddity belonged to the Cotton Bowl match in which an Alabama player leaped off the bench to tackle a score-bound runner. Rice got the touchdown and the victory, too, 28-6.

Georgia Tech captured its third straight post-season triumph 42-19 at the expense of West Virginia in the Sugar Bowl and Texas Tech rallied for a 35-13 trouncing of Auburn in the Gator Bowl with Bobby Cavazos scoring three touchdowns.

## Individual Stars

Individually, Oklahoma's halfback Larry Grigg, Michigan State halfback Billy Wells and end Ellis Duckett, All-America Paul Cameron of UCLA, Rice halfback Dickey Moegle and Georgia Tech quarterback Pepper Rodgers were among the standouts.

In the Orange Bowl the Sooners, who gained more ground than any other team all season, showed Maryland they were masters at defense as well. Twice in the first half they stopped the Terps inside the 10 yard line. And in the final period Grigg halted the last Maryland threat by intercepting a pass in the end zone.

Maryland had allowed the least yards by rushing of any team but the Oklahoma's churned 80 yards in 11 plays for the game's only score. Grigg took a pitchout from Gene Calame and went 26 yards for the tally.

The previously unbeaten Terrapins had the use of quarterback Bernie Faloney for only five plays. An injured left knee kept him sidelined until late in the third quarter and he never returned

after a Maryland drive stalled on the 30.

UCLA, a three-time Rose Bowl loser, held a 14-0 edge early in the second quarter when Michigan State began to explode. Duckett broke through to block a kick, the first time this has ever happened against a Red Sanders' coached Bruin team, and recovered it for a TD.

## Wells Leads Rally

Wells then led a second half ground assault that tore to shreds a defense rated the sixth best against rushing during the regular season. His 62-yard punt return late in the game iced the decision. Earlier Leroy Bolden and Wells had scored to climax earth-bound marches of 78 and 73 yards.

Cameron was splendid in defeat as he scored once from the two and passed for the other two UCLA touchdowns.

In Dallas, Alabama fullback

## Lowly Hawks Beat Wings

CHICAGO (P)—The last place Chicago Black Hawks scored four goals in the first two periods Friday night and went on to defeat the National Hockey League leading Detroit Red Wings 4 to 2, before 10,860, largest crowd here since the season opener.

Veteran Doc Couture scored two of Chicago's goals but the real hero was goalie Al Rollins. He had 43 stops and had a shutout until the third period when rookie Dutch Reibel spoiled it at 6:56. At 15:31 Ted Lindsay scored Detroit's second goal.

Referee Frank Udvari called 13 penalties, including a 10 minute Misconduct on Gordie How. Eight of the penalties went to the Hawks, who now have won two games in a row and three out of their last four starts.

Couture scored twice in the first period. In the second period, young Pete Conacher and Jim Peters each scored one.

## Wells Leads Spartans To Rose Bowl Victory

PASADENA, Calif. (P) — Michigan State's Spartans proved once again that it takes two halves to make a whole as they came from behind for the 28-20 Rose Bowl victory over the UCLA Bruins.

For it was the sparkling play of the green clad crew from East Lansing in the second half Friday that overcame a 14-7 deficit and gave the Big Ten the bowl title again after a year's sojourn in the Pacific Coast Conference.

During the first half it appeared that UCLA would repeat the feat of USC, which last year turned back Wisconsin, 7-0, for the first time in the history of the bowl rivalry between the two conferences dating back to 1947.

## Had Edge At Half

The Bruins gained 154 yards during the two opening quarters to 56 for Michigan State and the score stood 14-7 in their favor.

But as the Spartans took the third quarter kickoff before the capacity

crowd of 101,000 it was a different club—fired apparently by Coach Biggie Munn during the intermission. In 14 crisp plays the Spartans went 78 yards with LeRoy Bolden going over from one yard out, and fullback Evan Slonae added the second of his four straight conversions to tie the count.

In three plays the Bruins couldn't gain after taking the kickoff, punted, and the Spartans went on the march again. This one went 73 yards, abetted by an 18-yard pass from quarterback Tommy Yewic to Bolden, a 27-yard run by right halfback Billy Wells and a 15-yard penalty. That put the Spartans ahead to stay. After UCLA scored again in the fourth period, but missed the conversion, Wells scooted 62 yards with a punt for the clincher.

## Wells Is Honored

Billy, the usually unsung member of the Big Ten co-champions'

pony backfield, was the game's leading ground gainer with 80 yards rushing in addition to his punt return, and was voted the game's outstanding player by the Elms Athletic Foundation.

"We were loggy in the first half, but at intermission I got around to installing some spirit and did some blackboard work," said Munn, who continued to refuse comment on reports that this was his last game as coach and that he would take over the Michigan State athletic directorship.

Quarterback Yewic added: "During the second half we were using a lot of split T stuff to open up that big UCLA line. That way our guys could get a good angle to block them."

So Michigan State surged back and the final statistics bore little resemblance to those at the half, although UCLA had the total yardage bulge by a 242 to 206 margin.

## Tears And Prayers In Spartan Dressing Room

By ROBERT E. VOGES

PASADENA, Calif. (P)—There were tears and prayers in an emotion-packed scene in the Michigan State dressing room after Biggie Munn's last game as a coach.

Munn blew his whistle after the squad had milled into the narrow room under the Rose Bowl stadium.

He was choked with emotion, tears filled his eyes and he could scarcely speak.

"I have never been so proud of a game or a team in my life," he said. His voice broke. "There are tears in my eyes but I can't help it. I appreciate this game so much. Let's say a prayer."

## Team Says Prayer

The football team went down its knees for a silent prayer. Many were sobbing, overcome by the emotion of the game and the moment.

"God bless you," Munn said.

Later, Munn was sitting on a bench beside his son Mike, fondling the game ball.

"It's the first game ball I've ever had in my life," he said. "The kids gave it to me. It's the one I wanted."

Newsman tried to fox Munn into declaring officially that he is taking over as athletic director but he refused to be foxed.

"Any announcement will have to come from President John Hannah," he insisted.

## End Of Career

But earlier, Hannah was overheard telling Munn — "It was a great way to end your career."

In the stadium, frenzied MSC rooters were tearing the goal posts

to shreds for souvenirs. Munn was carried to the dressing room by his team, part of the time almost upside-down.

"I want to sit down for a while to calm down," said Munn before going into his mass press interview.

He was composed by interview time. For a while his voice was drowned out by the MSC band blaring triumphantly near by.

"It was the greatest victory in my life," Munn said. "We earned everything we got though. UCLA was the best team we've met this year, when they missed that extra point, though, I knew we had it made."

"It was wonderful, just wonderful," was all Captain Don Dohoney could say.

## Wells Excited

Billy Wells was more excited about his date with screen starlet Debby Reynolds than his two touchdowns.

"The other guys should get the credit Wells said. Then, getting back to more important things, 'You know, we're going to Ciro's for dining and dancing and stuff. Debby fixed it up.'"

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## Holiday Cage Tournaments Come To Close Tonight

By BEN PHILEGAR

NEW YORK (P)—The Big Ten basketball teams come back to their home neighborhood tonight for the opening of the conference season and the last of the holiday tournaments ends at Owensboro, Ky.

Duquesne, the No. 2 team in the country and winner of the New York Holiday Festival, takes time out to demonstrate the game to the University of Mexico.

Indiana, the defending NCAA champ which lost for the first time last week, visits Michigan and Purdue is at Wisconsin, but the major Big Ten interest will be centered on Champaign, Ill., where eighth ranking Illinois entertains sixth ranking Minnesota.

Minnesota suffered its first defeat earlier in the week against Kentucky while Illinois also has been beaten once, by Oklahoma A&M.

Holy Cross, the Sugar Bowl

champion, returns home for an inter-sectional engagement with Alabama. The Crusaders currently are ranked 12th but probably will move up on the strength of their New Orleans' success.

The All-American City Tournament at Owensboro, last of some 30 holiday competitions, matches Maryland against Kentucky Wesleyan in tonight's final.

The Terps' basketball team had considerably more success Friday night than its vaunted football team did Friday afternoon as it stopped high - scoring Evansville College 66-58.

Kentucky Wesleyan, the host, edged St. Francis of Brooklyn 71-69.

New Year's action was scarce but in a major upset Seton Hall lost its first home game in 47 starts dating back to the 1950-51 season. William and Mary beat the Pirates 57-55.

## Marquette Sentinels

vs.

## Escanaba Hawks

At 2:30 P.M. Tomorrow  
At Fairgrounds Rink

These two sextets played the finest Northern Michigan Hockey League game this season here last Wednesday . . . a rousing 4-3 thriller!

Don't miss the renewal tomorrow, playoff of a game postponed from Dec. 9.

Reserve a seat in a new section by telephoning Mrs. Beauchamp at 2646 or 2224.



## Legals

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in Chancery, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
William T. Jess, Administrator of the Estate of Alton C. Jess, William T. Jess, Administrator of the Estate of Alton C. Jess, and Agnes E. Jess, Plaintiff, vs. The Estate of Alton C. Jess, Defendant.

ORDER  
The Court, on the motion of the Plaintiff, do hereby order that the trial of the above case be held on the 15th day of January, 1954, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in Chancery, this 28th day of October, A. D. 1953.  
In the above entitled cause it appearing that the defendant, William T. Jess, Administrator of the Estate of Alton C. Jess, William T. Jess, Administrator of the Estate of Alton C. Jess, and Agnes E. Jess, Plaintiff, vs. The Estate of Alton C. Jess, Defendant, is a party to the same, the Court do hereby order that the trial of the above case be held on the 15th day of January, 1954, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

William T. Jess and William T. Jess, Administrator of the Estates of Alton C. Jess and Agnes E. Jess, respectively, Post Office Address: 1820 Rutledge Street, Madison, Wisconsin.

Rachel Jess, Post Office Address: 1820 Rutledge Street, Madison, Wisconsin.

Harvey S. Jess, Post Office Address: Appleton, Wisconsin.

Agnes E. Jess, Post Office Address: Appleton, Wisconsin.

Esther Krause, Post Office Address: Washington Island, Door County, Wisconsin.

Elva M. Jess, Post Office Address: Washington Island, Door County, Wisconsin.

Knoke Realty Company, a Wisconsin Corporation, Post Office Address: Appleton, Wisconsin.

McGinn & Fitzharris, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Business Address: First National Bank Bldg., Nash, Clark, Rankin and Nash of Counsel.

11680-339-65at.

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
Sealed bids will be received by the City of Escanaba, at the office of the City Clerk, on or before 8:00 P. M. (E.S.T.), January 7, 1954, for the purchase of one (1) four (4) door sedan. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the regular meeting of the City Council to be held at said time and date.

Bidder's Proposals and Specifications may be obtained from the office of the undersigned.

Envelopes enclosing bids to be plainly marked: "Police car bid to be opened January 7, 1954".

The City of Escanaba reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to accept any bid, and to waive any irregularities in the bidding.

GEORGE M. HARVEY, City Clerk.

11682-Dec. 19 and 26 and Jan. 2, 1954.

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Commercial want ads must be placed before 5:30 p. m. the day before publication. Other classified ads (For Rent, Help Wanted, etc.) will be accepted until 10:30 a. m. on the day of publication.

**Barnyard Business**

**ACROSS**  
1 Mrs. Rooster  
4 Wings  
12 Exist  
13 Hebrew month  
14 Italian coin  
15 Force  
16 Soft cotton fabrics  
18 Regards  
20 Taut  
21 — Vegas  
22 Rainbow  
24 Give forth  
26 Indigo  
27 Five-dollar bill (slang)  
30 Soundest mentally  
32 Abandon  
34 Indication  
35 Alkaloid  
36 Measures of type  
37 Russian news agency  
39 American editor  
40 Primitive tomb  
41 Varnish ingredient  
42 Unmarried  
45 Tortures  
49 Esteemed  
51 Metallic rock  
52 Preposition  
53 In this place  
54 Employ  
55 Existed  
56 Doctrines  
57 Coin used in Japan

**DOWN**  
1 Own  
2 Goddess of discord  
3 Young birds  
4 Horses' neck hairs  
5 First man  
6 Dried grape  
7 Sea eagle  
8 Century plants  
9 Jungle beast  
10 Huge boats  
11 Comfort  
12 Fence steps  
13 Consumed  
15 Is borne  
18 Essential being  
20 Kind of chicken  
21 Truthful  
22 Ireland  
23 Volcano  
25 Conspired  
26 Irony  
28 Closed car  
29 Avers  
30 Kind of chicken  
31 Veins of ore  
32 Where corn is kept  
33 Uninspired  
34 Italian city  
36 Microbe  
37 Gaelic  
38 Observed  
39 Greek letter

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

**NEW YEAR**  
1. JANUARY  
2. FEBRUARY  
3. MARCH  
4. APRIL  
5. MAY  
6. JUNE  
7. JULY  
8. AUGUST  
9. SEPTEMBER  
10. OCTOBER  
11. NOVEMBER  
12. DECEMBER

**What's A Turkey?**  
Ask Tax Collector

RICHMOND, Va. — City Councilman Robert C. Throckmorton thinks the city personnel department must have its signals mixed. He said one of the questions the department has been asking candidates for the job of delinquent tax collector is: "How do you prepare a turkey for roasting?"

STAMFORD, Conn. (AP)—Physicians treating 53-year-old Lucy Baker for a stab wound in the head were puzzled when they found a one-inch piece of knife blade imbedded in his skull. The blade on the jack-knife used by Baker's assailant was intact. Baker recalled that he had been the victim of a previous knife assault—in a fracas in Philadelphia 19 years before. The piece of steel never had bothered him, and he didn't know h'd been carrying it around.

## Legals

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
The City of Escanaba will receive bids on approximately 14,000 gallons regular gasoline, to be delivered via truck transport, f. o. b. Escanaba, Michigan.

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Escanaba on or before 8 P. M. (E.S.T.) January 7, 1954, in the office of the City Clerk at Escanaba, Michigan. The bids will be publicly opened and read at the regular meeting of the City Council on the above date.

Bidders proposals can be obtained from the office of the City Clerk. Envelope containing bids to be plainly marked "Gasoline Bid to be opened 8 P. M. January 7, 1954".

The City of Escanaba reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any irregularities in the bidding.

GEORGE M. HARVEY, City Clerk.

11682-Dec. 19 and 26 and Jan. 2, 1954.

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
Sealed bids will be received by the City of Escanaba at the office of the City Clerk, Escanaba, Michigan, on or before 8:00 P. M. (E.S.T.) January 7, 1954, for the purchase of 4000 pounds of Weatherproof Copper Wire. The bids will be publicly opened and read at the regular meeting of the City Council on the above date.

Bidder's Proposals and Specifications can be obtained from the City Clerk's office.

Bidder must fill out and sign "Bidder's Proposal" form furnished by the City of Escanaba or bid will be considered incomplete.

Statement of guarantee of specifications must be included with bid. Failure to do so will make bid incomplete.

A certified check or bank draft drawn payable without condition to the City Clerk, Escanaba, Michigan, in an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the bid shall be submitted with envelope containing guarantee that if the bid is accepted, the bidder will furnish materials or services as stated in his proposal. On failure of the successful bidder to fulfill the condition of his proposal, he shall forfeit the deposit as agreed and liquidate damages, and the acceptance of the proposal will be contingent upon the bidder agreeing to this provision.

Envelope containing bid to be plainly marked: "Bid for Weatherproof Wire, to be opened January 7, 1954".

The City of Escanaba reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or any part of any bid, and to waive any irregularities in the bidding.

GEORGE M. HARVEY, City Clerk.

11682-Dec. 19 and 26 and Jan. 2, 1954.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
In the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in Chancery, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
MARY E. SMITH, Plaintiff, vs. EUGENE C. SMITH, Defendant.

ORDER FOR APPEARANCE AND PUBLICATION  
Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, in Chancery, on the 6th day of November, A. D. 1953.

In the above entitled cause, it appearing that the defendant, EUGENE C. SMITH, is not a resident of this State, but resides at 83rd Place and Cork Road, Oaklawn, Illinois.

Therefore, on motion of NICHOLAS P. CHAPKIS, Attorney for the Plaintiff, it is ORDERED that the Defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before three (3) months of the date of this Order, and that within forty (40) days the Plaintiff cause this Order to be published in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper published and circulated within said County, said publication to be continued once each week for six (6) weeks in succession, unless the order shall have been otherwise served, in accordance with the rules of the State of Michigan and the Court rules in such cause made and published.

Dated this 9th day of November, A. D. 1953.

S/ EDWARD H. FENLON, CIRCUIT JUDGE.

S/ NICHOLAS P. CHAPKIS, Attorney for Plaintiff.

11674-332-6 Sat.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Hovacker, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 29, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the petition of Carl E. Burch, the administrator of said estate, praying that his final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on January 26, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Emil Helgemo, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 21, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

## They'll Do It Every Time

THE NICE OLD LADY IS SO SWEET AND HER THINGS AREN'T WORTH A SECOND THOUGHT—WHEN SHE SHIPS 'EM...



**Legals**  
December 18, 1953 January 2, 1954  
**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Stephen Charles Bridges, Minor.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon said Doris Emba, of Escanaba, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on February 23, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That the twelfth day of January, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and to serve a copy thereof upon said Doris Emba, of Escanaba, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on February 23, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, and that the fiduciary cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Charles J. Olson, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 11, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon Robert E. LeMire, of Escanaba, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on March 2, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, and that the fiduciary cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew Magnusson, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 14, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon Raymond D. Duchaine, of Escanaba, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on March 2, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, and that the fiduciary cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Earl Kenneth Pearson to Earl Kenneth Pearson, Plaintiff, vs. Earl Kenneth Pearson, Defendant.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the eighth day of December, 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

## By Jimmy Harlo

BUT WHEN THE STUFF ARRIVES...THE OLD GAL IS NOT SO SWEET AND THE OLD JUNK IS ALL OBJET'S D'ART !!



**Legals**  
December 18, 1953 January 2, 1954  
**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Louis Francis Terrian, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 10, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon Louis Terrian, of Escanaba, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on February 23, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, and that the fiduciary cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Lida Nygaard, also known as Lida H. Nygaard, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 10, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the petition of Harold A. Nygaard, the executor of said estate, praying that his final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on January 12, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Burgess B. Sensiba, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 22, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the petition of Lucille H. Sensiba praying that the administration of said estate be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on January 19, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Nellie B. N. Reade, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 22, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

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vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Olof Jacobson, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 24, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the petition of Nelson P. Jensen, the executor of said estate, praying that his final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on January 26, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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The Probate Court for the County of Delta, do hereby order that the following cases be called for trial on the following dates:

vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Alvin Gray, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 28, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the petition of Robert J. Gray, praying that the administration of said estate be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on January 26, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.

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vs. Plaintiff.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Albert Dail, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held on December 28, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the petition of Peter Honberg, the administrator of said estate, praying that his final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on January 26, A. D. 1954, at ten A. M.



# Callers Lure 30 Million Folks To Square Dances In Nation

By RALPH MONCRIEF  
NEA Special Correspondent  
DALLAS, Tex. —(NEA)—Ladies to the center, and back to the bar. Gents to the center and form a star!

To the rhythmic beat and melodious notes of a string band and the lilting voice of a "caller," 30,000,000 Americans swing out from their Grand March to form squares for an evening of dancing from Maine to California and the Gulf of Mexico to the Canadian border.

Drop into a square dance, anywhere, and you learn about a pastime so fascinating it lures one-fifth the population of the United States from their TV sets to the dance floor for an evening of relaxation so strenuous it takes the stamina of a football player to keep up.

Square dancing? Why, it's the most democratic pastime of all; it's the lever of humanity. And it will bring 35,000 dancers from all over America to Dallas in April for the three-day National Square Dance Convention.

In the same square the wife of an executive "promenades" with a clerk from her husband's office. In another, a truck driver and a millionaire swing their partners to the "Flop Eared Mule."

Watch as the squares go through



TOP CALLER: Ray Smith is one of the nation's ten best.

their intricate maneuvers and there's a smile on the face and a look in the eye of the dancer that belies description.

Across the nation, dancers band together and form clubs. Typical is the Boot and Slipper in Dallas, host club for the April convention. It consists of 20 squares, 160 members. Because of the popularity of its leaders, two-thirds of the membership are present for dances.

President (Big Boot) of the club is Sheffield A. "Sheffie" Kadane, millionaire cold storage warehouse operator. Sheffie spends many hours attending personally to the business of the club. He is assisted by several "Little Slippers," women members, who take care of the snack bar and after-dance refreshments.

Success of the dance, Sheffie says, is the "caller." The personality and ability of the "caller" to get the dancers to mix and follow his directions is the secret to an evening of fun and fellowship.

Such a caller is Raymond "Ray" Smith. He is one of the 10 top "callers" in America and a permanent fixture at the Boot and Slipper. Ray is a former football

player, author of two books on square dancing, a teacher in the public schools and a weekly class of square dance enthusiasts.

When he swings into some old "hoe-down" number such as the "Tennessee Waltz," "Arkansas Traveler," or "Turkey In The Straw," the melody and tone of his voice lead the dancers into the cadence of the song.

No one, even the most lavish dancer, is certain of the origin of the dance, Lloyd Shaw, called the "grandpappy of the modern dance," names two possible sources: The New England Quadrille and the Kentucky Running Set. He favors the latter as closest to the modern square dance.

Lee Bedford, credited by many in keeping the dance alive in the Southwest, believes it originated with the ancients and was brought to America from Europe by the early settlers. As they moved westward, they carried the dance with them and it grew into what is known today as the Western Square Dance.

Bedford, chairman of arrangements for the 1954 convention, declares the dance varies in different sections of the country just as other phases of life vary, but remains basically the same.

Regardless of the origin or variations of the dance in different communities, every day in the week dancers troop to their favorite spot for an evening following the musical voice of the "caller" as he swings out with: "Chicken in the bread pan, kickin' out dough. Grab your partner and away you go!"

## Bear Gets In Car; Gets Out Quick Too

ROSEVILLE, Calif. (AP) — Ever hear of a hitchhiking bear?

Robert E. Lambridge, in filing an insurance claim for a broken window in his station wagon, related he was returning to California from Alaska when he stopped to fish. Then he resumed his journey.

"After several miles I happened to look in the rear view mirror and what I saw made my hair stand on end," he said.

"On the back seat and glaring at me viciously was a black bear which seemed as big as a mountain. I braked the car to a jolting stop and perhaps this saved me. The jolt startled the bear and he jumped out the window."

"The window was closed."

## Gold Without Riches Near Indiana Town

DELPHI, Ind. (AP) — Whenever things get dull around this farm country seat town of 2,500, old-timers go out to pan for gold.

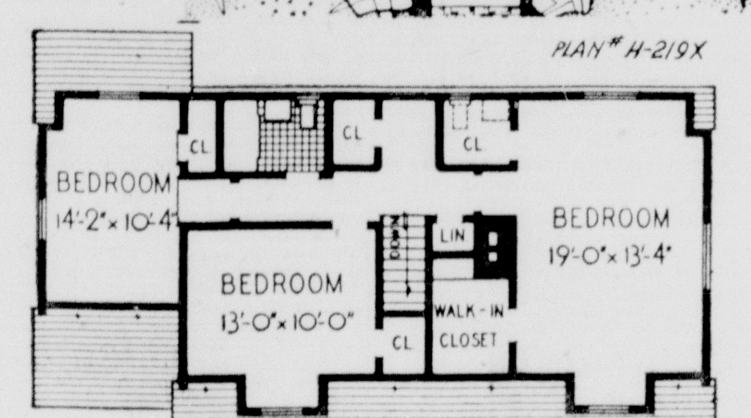
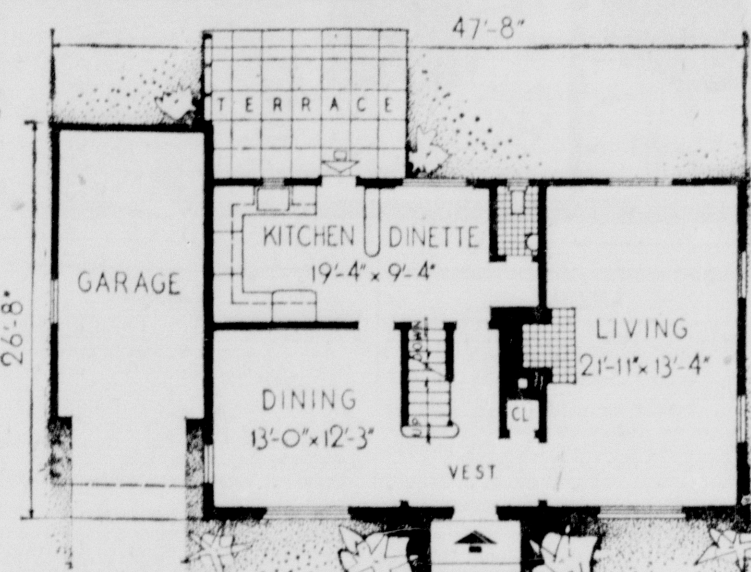
Nobody ever got close to rich sifting the sands near the slate bluffs of Deer Creek. But ever since 1855, spare-time prospectors have been hoping to find a mother lode. That was when prospectors, back from the California gold rush, found the first flakes here. About the biggest day's take anyone can remember was worth \$150.

## AGED WONT ROCK

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — There will be no rocking chairs in a new \$2,500,000 dormitory planned by Connecticut for the chronically ill, aged and infirm. Rocking chairs, an official said, would conflict with the aim to keep the oldesters happy by keeping them busy in a workshop or a recreation center.

## FOR BETTER HOMES BUILD-REPAIR-REMODEL FOR BETTER LIVING

### HOMES FOR AMERICANS



TWO-STORY CAPACITY in a cottage is the feature of this story-and-a-half house planned for economy of construction. Three bedrooms, bath and roomy closets are located upstairs. Large living room, lighted by windows on three sides, extends across one entire end of the house. A center hall with open stairway and guest closet, a lavatory adjoining the kitchen-dinette and a garden terrace are among features. This is plan H-291X by Alvin Cassens Jr., architect, 145 S. Franklin Ave., Valley Stream, N. Y. The house covers 1,222 square feet and the upper floor provides 990 square feet.

## Protect Evergreens From Heavy Snowfall, Homeowners Advised

Don't wait for heavy snows to pile on top of your prize evergreens and shrubs to protect them from winter onslaught.

That's a word of caution from Joseph T. Cox, extension landscape specialist at Michigan State College. Tall evergreens and shrubs with many branches are easily broken by heavy snow.

He suggests driving long stakes into the ground beside your evergreens. Pieces of rubber hose or soft cloth strips can be used to tie plants to the stake supports without damaging the plants. Main stems can be supported between two or more stakes.

And, Cox says, you can paint the stakes green so they won't be noticed. Pieces of cloth of a subtle color that will blend into the background are best.

For multi-branched shrubs, tie the branches together with pieces of soft cloth. This usually will be enough to prevent injury from a heavy snow, according to Cox.

If the job hasn't been done before a heavy snowfall, the landscape specialist advises, be sure to shake heavy snow off the plants at the first opportunity.

But, protecting them from injury in the first place is the safest bet, and it saves a lot of trouble.

## Rat Terrorizes Rat Terrier At Meals

POTTSTOWN, Pa. (AP) — Joseph Kopcho's pet dog has been embarrassed since his master made a discovery in his home here. Kopcho dismantled an old organ in his home and found several pounds of dog food stored there by what he feels sure was a rat.

The food, Kopcho figures, was taken from the dog's plate after it had been put there at dinner-time and represents about ten meals. The dog is a rat terrier.



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## Making Basement Livable Calls For Damp-Proofing Job

If basements ever are to be made really livable — suitable for comfortable bedrooms, for instance — they will have to be successfully waterproofed and dampproofed.

Some architects think that even in parts of the South, where cellars are still comparatively rare, livable basements are destined to become the biggest new trend in house architecture. These men argue that houses will get bigger downward, instead of upward, because of economy. It costs just about one-tenth as much to create space, fully finished, under a house as it costs to build an equal amount of space above ground.

But all seepage problems will have to be conquered and the condensation of warm summer air striking cooler basement walls and floors will have to be prevented to give us maximum use out of our basements.

These problems have been tackled by various industries. Dehumidifiers have been invented to take the moisture out of basement air. Floor coverings and wall coverings have been developed to line basements against direct contact with moist summer air. Many so-called waterproofing paints have been offered on claims that they are tight enough to keep water from soaking through masonry walls.

The biggest problem has been to seal a basement on the inside strongly enough to stop the pressure of water from the outside. For a long time, this was thought to be virtually impossible. Now many waterproofers say it can be done. Harrison Todd of Sacramento, Calif., for one, has had outstanding successes in doing this, even against high water pressure.

A modern chemical discovery, making use of silicones to penetrate pores in masonry and seal it against the passage of moisture, has been one of the most interesting developments in this direction. Silicones, which are extremely minute in size, are derived from silicon, a natural element. They have played important roles in the manufacture of lubricants and steel.

Recently a cement paint in powder form, soluble in water, comprising a base of powder containing silicones, activated metallic compounds and very finely ground aggregates, was developed by the

## IN THE HOME WORKSHOP



The stout oak hinges of this fireplace wood box are copies of a pair that were used before metal hinges were in common use. The directions show how to make simulated dovetail construction for the box which holds an evening's supply of wood and provides an extra seat by the fire. The wood carrier is cut from one-half yard of thirty-six inch canvas. It is quickly made on the sewing machine and easy to tuck away when not in use. Tracing diagrams for the hinges with large step-by-step sketches for making both box and carrier are on pattern 362. A packet of Early American reproductions containing an assortment of standard size patterns for making authentic pieces is priced at \$1.

WORKSHOP PATTERN SERVICE  
Escanaba Daily Press  
Bedford Hills, New York

Siliphane Corp. of America. The manufacturers say that when this compound is applied to a thoroughly wet concrete wall, the silicones do not merely remain on the surface, but have a tendency to migrate, following the moisture into the wall.

According to laboratory tests and Dr. F. O. Andereg, an authority on masonry construction, the silicones expand, become insoluble and nonreversible. The result is an egg-shell-like seal. Silicones also can be used as cures in new watertight concrete. They slow down the drying process, penetrating as deeply as the moisture exists and thus waterproof the finished wall or floor.

To waterproof an existing basement, sources of incoming water must be eliminated. Holes or cracks have to be filled — all spaces closed up. The surface of the concrete or masonry to be waterproofed must be free of dirt, dust, soot, grease and other paint coatings, except Portland cement

paint. Oil base paints must be removed because they may loosen and peel in the future and oil or wax prevents silicones from entering pores and migrating.

A wall should be brushed down with a wire brush to remove loose particles. Then it must be thoroughly saturated with water. A fine spray from a garden hose will do this. The wetter the wall, the deeper the silicones can penetrate.

A first coat of this compound (known as Silite SF) is then applied with a scrub brush. This type of brush is recommended because rough-textured masonry soon wears down a paint brush and paint brushes are more expensive. After the first coat has dried for four to 10 hours, a second coat can be applied with a paint brush.

Although this compound is available in pastel shades of rose, buff, gray, and green, as well as white, it can be painted over with any type and color of paint. The manufacturers say that a silicone coating even makes it practicable to wallpaper a cellar wall.

The cost of waterproofing a cellar with an area of 800 square feet — aside from repair materials — is estimated at about \$40. The more porous the material, however, the more paint is needed, because porous materials, such as concrete or cinder blocks allow the silicones to penetrate deeper in their water-chasing and waterproofing processes.

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